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## FIRE CHIEF H. C. WILLIS

ON TRIAL ON CHARGE OF RENTING A HOUSE FOR AN IMMORAL PURPOSE.

## FANSLER LIQUOR CASES GO OVER

On Account of the Illness of State's Principal Witness—Other Entries That Were Made on the Docket Today.

Henry Willis, chief of the Sedalia fire department, who was recently indicted by the grand jury for renting a house on West Main street for immoral purposes, was arraigned for trial in the Pettis county criminal court today. C. C. Lawton and Holmes Hall are defending him.

The following jurymen were selected to try the case: J. M. James, Henry Mahken, L. H. Haggard, T. J. Pace, C. E. Francis, David Bouldin, Andrew Gresham, J. W. Garrett, J. T. Albertson, Emmet Dugan, Peter Hoffman and Richard Lower.

Mayor John A. Collins, E. W. Shultz and H. T. Williams are to furnish the evidence for the state.

Owing to the illness of Mayor W. F. Yankee, of Lamotte, who is the state's principal witness, the four cases against W. D. Fansler, charged with selling liquor without a license, were continued.

On application of the defendant the two cases against George S. Marshall, charged with obtaining property by false pretenses, were continued.

Owing to the illness of the defendant, the case of John W. Stebb, charged with selling liquor on Sunday, was continued.

In the case of the state vs. George Davis and Tom Carter, charged with conducting a bawdy house, the defendants withdrew their plea of not guilty and filed a motion to quash the indictment.

The state entered a nolle prosequi in the case of William H. Cummings, charged with petit larceny.

In the case of the state vs. Thomas Carter, charged with conducting a bawdy house, the certificate of Dr. J. M. Harris, showing the condition of William Drake, was filed.

## ALLEGED CONFIDENCE GAME

Geo. R. Spillers Was Worked for Five Dollars Today.

George R. Spillers, a Katy engineer, was the victim of a shrewd confidence game at the hands of an alleged government surveyor this morning, and as a result the police are looking for the man, also the \$5 which he "worked" Mr. Spillers for.

The man, who is about 40 years old, and fairly well dressed, gave his name as Mr. Lincoln, and sought home and lodging at Mr. Spillers' home yesterday for himself and a number of surveyors, whom he claimed he had working for him.

Mr. Spillers could not accommodate the party, but agreed to board and room Mr. Lincoln. The latter secured apartments for his men and returned to Mr. Spillers' house.

He ate supper and spent the night there, and this morning ate his breakfast and started out to the Katy freight depot to get some surveyor's instruments with which to work.

After searching his pockets, Mr. Lincoln discovered that he did not have enough money to pay the freight for the instruments, and kindly asked Mr. Spillers to loan him the money, which the latter did.

Mr. Lincoln and Mr. Spillers left the house together and started towards the depot, but the latter left and went up town. On the way he began wondering if he hadn't been worked, and called up his home to ascertain if Lincoln had returned, but, sad to relate, he has since failed to show up.

## LOCKS TEN FEET WIDER

This Is the Recommendation of Secretary of War Taft.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Secretary Taft has written a letter to the president, recommending an increase in the width of the Panama canal locks from 100, as at present planned, to 110 feet.

The change will cost about five million dollars additional, but meets the naval view as to the likelihood of larger battleships in the future.

## Burial of Mr. Sprecher.

The funeral of Samuel Sprecher was held from the family residence on West Third street at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. A large assemblage of relatives and friends attended the services and there were a number of beautiful floral tributes. Burial was in the city cemetery, the gentlemen named in Sunday's Democrat-Sentinel serving as pallbearers.

## Will Undergo an Operation.

J. E. Sneider, superintendent of the Missouri Pacific at Osawatomie, Kas., and wife, passed through here on the noon train today, en route to Rochester, Minn., where Mrs. Sneider is to undergo a surgical operation. Dr. H. B. Cole, of this city, accompanied the couple from here.

## KANSAS CITY HAD A FIRE

OLD RATTLETRAP DEPOT CAME NEAR GOING UP IN SMOKE TODAY.

## THE FIREMEN FINALLY SAVED IT

Pacific, Wells Fargo and Adams Express Company Receiving Offices Burned—The Loss Estimated at \$250,000.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 13.—Union station annex in Union avenue was destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning.

Union station proper, one of Kansas City's landmarks, was saved by the firemen, after a hard fight.

The building contained the receiving offices of the Adams, Wells-Fargo and Pacific Express companies, the branch mailing room of the postoffice, offices of the Fred Harvey eating house, C. and the Railway Y. M. C. A. rooms.

The loss is estimated at a quarter of a million dollars. Thirty-five sacks of registered mail were destroyed.

## HAD A \$10,000 BLAZE

It Was Discovered at New Franklin at 2 O'clock A. M.

New Franklin, Howard county, had a \$10,000 blaze this morning at 2 o'clock, with only about one-half that amount of insurance.

How the blaze originated is not known. It caught in Wade's photograph gallery, and burned two-story buildings owned by Mrs. Mary Mullins, of Rocheport, and Paul White, of New Franklin. The loss of each is \$2,500, with \$1,500 insurance each.

Among the other losses are: Appleman's pool room, \$800; \$500 insurance; Allison Davidson, furniture in storage, \$300 loss and no insurance; Dr. H. S. Moser, dentist, \$1,000 loss and \$500 insurance.

## IS THIS A "JAP" TRICK

Bids for Honolulu Fortifications Fears to Be From Jap Sources.

Honolulu, Jan. 13.—The award of bids for material for the fortification of Pearl harbor has been held up for the reason that it is believed the lowest bidder is a dummy for some Japanese contractors.

It is probable that all bids will be rejected and that the war department will conduct the work.

## MURDER IS SUSPECTED

William Mallard's Body Burned in Rooming House Fire.

Leavenworth, Kas., Jan. 13.—William Mallard, a private in the Thirtieth infantry, was burned to death here early today in a rooming house fire.

Mallard was a son of Thomas Mallard, of Chillicothe, Mo. Murder is suspected.

## WON A \$10,000 PRIZE

Harry Farnam, the French Aeronaut, Died in Paris Today.

Paris, Jan. 13.—Harry Farnam, the French aeronaut, today won the Deutsche archdeacon prize of \$10,000 by making a circular kilometer in an airship heavier than the air. Time, one minute and twenty-eight seconds.

## FEELING QUITE STRONG

AGAINST THE METHODS ADOPTED BY LATE EMERSON, MARLOW & CO.

## BE ANOTHER HEARING JANUARY 15

Difference of Opinion as to the Nature and Scope of the New Enterprise of the Bankrupt Partners.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—The hearing set before Referee Wean to examine further into the business methods of Emerson, Marlow & Co. was not carried out as expected, as the attorneys asked for an extension of time until Jan. 15 at 3 o'clock, when it is expected a further investigation will be made.

What gives special color to the rumors about the investigations before Referee Wean is the fact that both Emerson and Marlow are said to have gone into business with offices in the Northwestern building, corner of Lake street and Fifth avenue, and are now operating under the name of the United States Packing Co., which is said to be engaged in handling poultry, butter and eggs.

So far as can be learned, no incorporation papers have been taken out and considerable secrecy is being preserved, so it is understood, in getting this concern under way.

It is the opinion of interested parties here that everything is being kept covered up carefully so that the assets of this concern with a high sounding name, can not be assailed to satisfy claims of the old corporation or partnership, whichever the creditors may be pleased to call it.

One thing that has provoked comment is the report published exclusively in the Kansas City Packer to the effect that a movement will probably take place in the near future to have bankruptcy proceedings against Emerson, Marlow & Co. dismissed and begin anew against the partnership.

It is stated that this is merely a matter that rests on the facts that may develop in the progress of the hearing before Referee Wean.

If it can be shown conclusively that the incorporation in 1906 was launched with a view to defrauding creditors, some intimate that criminal action will result against those responsible, and that some indictments may be asked in the near future if the evidence disclosed will furnish a basis for such strenuous action.

It is a fact that feeling is as strong now as ever against the methods employed by Emerson, Marlow & Co. in their failure, and some of the creditors seem to be in favor of going the limit if they can make sure of their ground.

There is a difference of opinion here as to the nature and scope of the new enterprise headed by Emerson and Marlow. It has been intimated that the concern will branch out in great shape and do a land of office business soon.

## NEW MINISTER ARRIVES

Rev. Pearce Preached Introductory Sermon at Lamotte.

The Rev. H. A. Pearce, the new pastor of the Christian church at Lamotte, who recently accepted a call to the pastorate in that city, which was made vacant by the removal of Rev. I. H. Fuller, to Fremont, Neb., has arrived from his former home in Larned, Kas.

He delivered his initial sermon at Lamotte Sunday, and was accorded a hearty welcome, the church being well filled with members of the congregation, both at the morning and evening services.

## Famous Painter Was in the City.

Alfred Montgomery, the famous painter, was a visitor in Sedalia today, and went to Jefferson City this afternoon.

Mr. Montgomery had expected to exhibit the \$90,000 worth of pictures he brought with him, under the auspices of one of the local women's clubs, as partially arranged for a fortnight ago, but the project had been abandoned in the meantime, and as Mr. Montgomery's address was not known it was impossible to advise him of the action taken.

The pictures are truly works of art, and it is to be regretted that Sedalians were not given an opportunity to inspect them.

## The Funeral of R. C. Woods.

The funeral of Richard C. Woods was held from Calvary Episcopal church at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. Douglass Atwill officiating.

Many relatives and friends attended and accompanied the remains to their final resting place in the city cemetery. There were a number of beautiful floral offerings. The following served as pallbearers: Robert Hitch, W. J. Maltby, W. M. Johns, W. W. Herold, Frank Vollrath and Arthur Gardiner.

## Fell and Fractured Bone.

Mrs. George A. Given, of 605 East Eleventh street, fell upon the ice in the yard at her home Sunday afternoon and fractured one of the bones in her left wrist. Dr. Holbert is attending her.

## WAS COWARDLY MURDER

SO SAID ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY REGARDING KILLING OF WHITE.

## SPOKE TO JURY TWENTY MINUTES

Harry Thaw Sat With Bowed Head While Prosecution Bitterly Arraigned Him for Crime for Which He Is Being Tried.

New York, Jan. 13.—With a brief address Assistant District Attorney Garvin opened the Thaw case in earnest this morning. In his speech he did nothing more than to briefly sketch the story of the killing of Stanford White on the Madison Square roof garden while the theatrical performance was going on. Garvin consumed but twenty minutes.

"The defense," said he, "is in insanity. The law says that the only persons who are excused from criminal responsibility are they who are so deficient of reason that they do not know the nature or quality of their acts or what is wrong. With this definition, and this definition alone, of the law, I ask you to judge of all the acts of this defendant on the night of June 25, 1906, which is the night that Stanford White was killed."

Garvin then dwelt on the conversation Thaw had on the roof garden with James Clinch Smith, brother-in-law of Stanford White. This conversation, he declared, was entirely sane and was indulged in just a few minutes before the killing.

Garvin declared that, judged by any court, this homicide could only be explained as a "premeditated, deliberate and cowardly murder."

Mrs. Evelyn Thaw listened to his discussion of the actual details of the killing with tense, drawn features. Josiah Thaw, the brother, and Mrs. George L. Carnegie, the sister of the defendant, completed the family group. Thaw sat with his eyes upon the prosecutor, his head upon his hand.

Mrs. William Thaw, his mother, who is ill in Pittsburgh, has telegraphed that she will come to New York when her testimony is desired. She is very sick, however.

W. H. Volkening, a draughtsman, was the first witness called. His diagram of the scene of the killing, which the prosecution used throughout the first trial, was introduced in evidence.

James Clinch Smith, brother-in-law of the slain man, was the second witness and repeated his conversation with Thaw the night of the tragedy just before the killing occurred. Smith was being examined when court adjourned for luncheon.

## ABOUT FIFTY CONVERSIONS

Nineteen Persons Baptised at Lamotte Sunday.

The big revival which has been in progress at County Line Baptist church, northwest of Lamotte, closed Sunday with about fifty conversions.

Rev. Zeb Thomas, a Sedalia evangelist, who conducted the series of meetings, assisted by the pastor, the Rev. D. W. Williams, conducted Baptist services at the Baptist church in Lamotte Sunday afternoon, nineteen of the new additions to the County Line church being immersed.

Some of those who were converted were unable to reach Lamotte Sunday to be baptized, and will be made full fledged members of the church later.

## THE REV. CYRUS T. BRADY

FORMER SEDALIA DIVINE HAS A ROAST FOR PRESIDENT THEO. ROOSEVELT.

## PUBLISHES A SEVERE CRITICISM

Says the Chief Executive Was Wrong in the Rear Admiral Brownson Affair—High Praise for Latter Official.

Cyrus Townsend Brady, the well known author and preacher, who was rector of Calvary church in this city a number of years ago, but now living at Toledo, O., has made an attack on President Roosevelt for his attitude in the Rear Admiral Brownson affair.

Brady lived in Leavenworth, Kas., during the early years of his life and was appointed a cadet to the naval academy at Annapolis from that district. After completing his course there he resigned from the navy and went into the ministry. His statement is in part as follows:

"The president of the United States is, ex-officio, the commander in chief of the army and navy thereof. As the highest authority, it is sometimes his duty in the carrying out of sentences of court martial, publicly to reprimand officers.

"The law clearly provides that such public reprimand, which is one of the severest punishments an officer can receive, shall not be administered except as the result of a trial, in which the accused has had every opportunity to defend himself.

"President Roosevelt has seen fit, in a most formal, definite manner, to pass censure upon a veteran officer of the navy, who entered the service of his country when the president was a baby, whose long and useful career has been illumined by many conspicuous acts of daring, courage, skill and address, and who has more than once upheld, under most difficult conditions, the honor of the American flag in a way which reflects the highest credit not only upon the officer himself, but upon the service of which he is one of the brightest exponents and upon the country of which he has been one of the most useful citizens."

"It is a shame, a crying shame, which every man of honor and every man who values the principle of authority, resting upon, and enforcing law, should resent, that a veteran officer, at the close of a long, highly honorable and greatly distinguished career, should be at the mercy of an irresponsible occupant of the White House."

## WISCONSIN LIFE ELECTION

It Is the First Held Under New Insurance Law There.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 13.—A. R. Tushnell and R. A. Watkins, both of Lancaster, nominees of the Wisconsin Life Insurance company for members of the board of directors to succeed themselves, were successful in today's election.

The election was the first held under the new insurance law which abolishes proxies in the election of directors of mutual life insurance companies, and requires nominations for directors to be filed with the insurance commissioner's department a certain length of time before the election.

## BURGLAZED A STORE

That of the Dresden Mercantile Company Entered.

The Dresden Mercantile company's store at Dresden, owned by S. L. Adams and J. P. Skillman, was entered by robbers some time Sunday night and pocket knives and underwear stolen.

The robbers smashed a front window pane and entered the building this way. Evidently they cut themselves in entering, as blood stains appeared on the floor of the store.

There is no clue, but a reward of \$20 is offered for the arrest and conviction of the guilty parties.

## Mayor Yankee's Condition.

Mayor W. F. Yankee, of Lamotte, who has been in a dangerous condition since being kicked by a mule last Tuesday morning, continues to improve slowly, and will recover unless unforeseen complications set in and cause him to suffer a relapse.

## Ladies in the Box Office.

Misses Lou Menefee and Kathryn Courtney will have charge of the Unique theater box office Tuesday afternoon, on the occasion of the benefit performance for the poor of the city.

Mrs. Oscar Ott, who was to have entertained the Bridge Whist club tomorrow afternoon, has postponed the function until Thursday evening, in order that the members may attend the Unique theater and assist the poor of the city.

## Clay County Goes Dry.

Liberty, Mo., Jan. 13.—Clay county voted dry in the local option election Saturday by 318 majority. Liberty and Excelsior Springs did not vote. Liberty went dry six weeks ago.

## IS SIXTEEN BELOW ZERO

E. E. BROWN WRITES ABOUT THE WEATHER AT CORNING, NEW YORK.

## PEOPLE CLEAN SIDEWALKS THERE

Town is in a Valley, and All the Railroads and Factories Burn Soft Coal, So 'Tis Difficult to Keep Linen Clean.

E. E. Brown, formerly of the Beller Grocer Co. here, but now engaged in the banking business at Corning, N. Y., writes to the Democrat-Sentinel as follows, under date of January 10:

"I want to thank you for putting the little notice in the Democrat-Sentinel telling of the birth of our little girl. I was glad to see it, for it will notify all our Sedalia friends of the event and save me from writing a good many letters.

"I get my paper sometimes, then at others I get it right along for nearly a week without missing one. I know it is no fault of yours, for all those I do receive are plainly marked.

"We are having winter here today. It was 16 below today early. We have about 14 inches of snow, so sleighing is pretty fair. It seems strange to see nothing but sleighs of different patterns on the street.

"We have had it very mild until the past week; in fact, it has been too warm for this country until now. But just think of it, over three months more of sure-enough winter.

"After the snow the other day I was wondering how the street car people would get the snow off their tracks.

"There was not long to wait, for the snow shovel was brought out and it did the work all right so far as the width of the track. Then, after it, came the 'city scraper' to widen the path. With all the snow there was no delay.

"The sidewalks here are all cleaned a few hours after the snow falls. It was quite a treat to see the pure white snow, however, for this is the dirtiest town you ever saw. Corning is situated in a narrow valley, and the railroads run right through the center of the town. All burn soft coal except the D. L. & W., and that is away off on the outskirts. Several big foundries and factories are all near the center, only a block or so away, and all burn soft coal, so you can imagine the dirt.

"I am gaining in weight quite a little, so far 17 pounds; that was before baby was born. I am sure it is hard to tell how much since then. I want to be remembered kindly, as well also Mrs. Brown, to all friends in Sedalia.

## PATTERNED AFTER SEDALIA

School Management Committee Opposes Secret Societies.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—The school management committee of the board of education has voted to abolish secret societies in the Chicago high schools.

This means an end to the fraternities so far as the official tolerance of the school authorities is concerned.

The action of the committee must be sanctioned by the board at its meeting Wednesday, and the new rule must withstand a storm of legal attacks, which, it is expected, will be made upon it.

## Brother-in-Law's Shot Fatal.

Leavenworth, Kas., Jan. 13.—R. J. Mintier, a prominent farmer, who was shot by his brother-in-law, died last night.

## GARRETT DENIES GUILT

CORN DOCTOR WHO WAS ARRESTED AT SPRINGFIELD ON SATURDAY.

## HE WILL BE BROUGHT HERE TONIGHT

Was With Thomas Wagner, the M. K. & T. Shopman, the Night Before Dead Body Was Found On the North Side.

Constable J. E. Love left yesterday for Springfield, Mo., and will return tonight with Dr. O. A. Garrett, a corn doctor, who it is thought may possibly be able to throw some light on the matter in which Thomas Wagner, the M. K. & T. shopman, met his death in this city a few weeks ago. Here is what the Springfield Republican of Sunday morning had to say of the arrest of Garrett, and also his utterances after he had been taken in custody:

"After being sought in a number of towns in the state since December 20, in connection with the murder of Thomas Wagner, an M. K. & T. railroad employee, whose dead body was found on vacant property in the north part of Sedalia, Dr. O. A. Garrett, a civil war veteran, who claims his home as Columbus Junction, Iowa, was arrested at police headquarters yesterday by Sergeant Harvey Patterson. Garrett went to police court to secure a permit to practice his profession here and was recognized from a description sent here from Sedalia.

Constable J. E. Love, at Sedalia, was immediately notified of Garrett's arrest and he wired that he would come to Springfield on the first train to secure custody of the prisoner. Garrett is sixty-five years old, and is a cripple. He poses as a corn doctor and came here yesterday morning from Fair Play.

At 10 o'clock the night before the body of Wagner was found, Garrett was seen in his company. Garrett admitted to the police yesterday that they were drinking together in a saloon, but that he left him and went to his boarding house and retired. Both men boarded at the same place.

Wagner is known to have had a watch and a roll of bills on his person on that night, as the railroad had just paid their employees. When Wagner's body was found, his hand clutched a revolver, and it was thought at the time that he had committed suicide. An inquest was held and the verdict was that he ended his own life. Garrett testified before the jury and then disappeared.

Friends of the dead man were not satisfied and an autopsy was held. His skull was found to have been fractured, but there was no evidence of a gunshot wound. The murderer inserted an empty cartridge in the revolver with a view of making the authorities believe Wagner fired a bullet into his mouth.

"Why they should have me arrested I do not know," the aged doctor said yesterday, the tears streaming down his withered cheeks. "I admit I was with him the night of his death, but I am innocent. In a saloon he tried to get me to go over in what they call the 'bad lands,' but I refused, and went to my boarding place. If this man was murdered he met his death in one of the dives there and his body was carried to the vacant lot. I had known Wagner about one week."

Garrett begged to be allowed to go to the hotel on Campbell street where he was staying, but he was told that he was under arrest and would have to be held. He was taken to the county jail and locked in a cell awaiting the arrival of Constable Love early this morning.

## OTTERVILLE DIVINE DEAD

End of the Rev. L. M. Phillips in a Kansas City Hospital.

The Rev. L. M. Phillips, 56 years old, died late Saturday afternoon at the University hospital in Kansas City. Mr. Phillips' home was in Otterville, where he was pastor of the Methodist church. He went to Kansas City recently for medical treatment, which, it is expected, will survive.

The funeral services were held in the Cleveland Avenue Methodist church at Twenty-sixth street and day. Rev. L. P. Norfleet officiated. Burial was in Mount Washington cemetery.



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## LEGISLATION THAT IS NEEDED.

The naval personnel bill introduced in congress by Senator Hale should be passed, or at least the principles it embodies enacted into law. The measure contains four excellent provisions. It puts an end to the unseemly controversies that have arisen within the navy regarding the precedence of line over staff officers, by definitely fixing the rank and title of the latter, and establishing regulations governing these two branches of the service similar to those which pertain to the army and which have given satisfaction. It forestalls the possibility of future Roosevelt-Brownson quarrels, seriously affecting the dignity and discipline of the military branch of the government, by expressly providing that hereafter in no case shall a staff officer be put in command of any vessel.

This will preclude the placing of hospital or other ships in charge of surgeons, and insures their command by line officers, schooled in the art of navigation, which is right and proper.

Thirdly, the bill of Senator Hale abolishes the numerous little bureaus into which the department has been divided, some of which are in conflict with others, and all of which tend to disseminate responsibility and interfere with the navy's efficient control and operation. One great fault of the navy has been its bureaucratic methods and excessive use of "red tape."

Last, but by no means least in importance, is the liberal increase of pay granted in all branches of the service. Broadly speaking, the officers of the navy are given an increase of 25 per cent and the enlisted men 40 per cent over their present allowances, which is an equitable discrimination in favor of the latter, considering the absurdly low pay they now receive. This treatment of the officers and men can not fail to have a highly beneficial effect upon the personnel, for it will attract more case shall a staff officer be put in ing it higher grade material to select from and insuring greater contentment within the service. It will have the effect, if it becomes a law of forcing congress into increasing the pay of the army, a reform that is in much greater need than in the navy. There is no question but what the entire naval system and the entire military wage scales are entitled to revision, and that congress should give its attention to these matters without delay.

## STATEMENT IS TIMELY.

The statement issued from Wash-  
ington in denial of the flood of  
alarms reports that have been eman-  
ating from European capitals the  
past fortnight with regard to the sta-

us of relations between Japan and  
the United States is timely.

So far as the people of the United  
States are concerned, denials of the  
wild rumors that imaginative Euro-  
peans have been sending out broadcast  
with the evident intention of em-  
barrassing this country in its diplo-  
matic exchanges with a friendly pow-  
er are quite unnecessary, but in Ja-  
pan their falsity and groundlessness  
may not be so easily discerned. Amer-  
icans have every confidence in the  
ability of the government to conclude  
an amicable and satisfactory agree-  
ment with Japan regarding the exclu-  
sion of coolie labor from this country.  
They have accepted in good faith the  
representations of Japan to the effect  
that she desires to avoid all cause  
of complaint by regulation of the evil  
at its source, i. e., by suppressing  
emigration of her laboring classes to  
the American continent.

They have also accepted without  
question the assurances of the au-  
thorities at Washington that all ne-  
gotiations to this end have been pro-  
ceeding smoothly and without the  
slightest friction. It is possible, there-  
fore, for people here to be deceived  
or alarmed by the sensational or mis-  
leading reports originating in Berlin,  
Paris and other European capitals,  
which seek to put a cloud upon our  
relations with Japan and lay the  
foundation for predictions of war.

But the Japanese are highly amena-  
ble to the gossip of the Occident.  
They are suspicious and sensitive.  
Their experiences with Russia, the  
prejudice that exists so generally in  
Europe against their ascendancy in  
the Orient and the treatment to which  
their laboring classes in America  
have been subjected, have all con-  
spired to awaken their distrust of  
American institutions and diplomacy  
and have caused them to be constan-  
tly on the guard lest they be taken  
advantage of.

It is possible, therefore, that they  
may have been deceived by the  
stories Europe is manufacturing and be  
led into apprehensions for which no  
ground whatever exists. Such effects  
would have a tendency to enhance  
the difficulties under which the Ja-  
panese government is trying to keep  
its subjects at home, and possibly  
jeopardize the pending negotiations.  
The statement issued at Washington  
which will be cabled to Japan should  
counteract the poison from Europe  
and acquaint the Japanese with its  
true nature.

A Pennsylvania judge says: "No  
kiss in the world is worth \$2,000."  
If his honor is a married man, he  
will have a time squaring this with  
some of the things he told his wife  
during the honeymoon days.

A German count who married an  
American girl has renounced his ti-  
tle. Miss Gladys Vanderbilt should  
have put her count under bond not  
to indulge in any such foolishness  
as that.

The crookedest railroad in the  
world is being built in California,  
says the Los Angeles Express. Is  
this Mr. Harriman's undertaking or  
that of some ambitious rival?

Whatever there may have been of  
good or bad in the last seven days,  
it is pleasant to contemplate that  
one week of the second Thaw trial is  
history.

About the first of next June several  
republicans will realize that their  
presidential booms only make work  
for the clerks who look after the  
press clippings.

"One hundred brand new \$10 gold  
pieces! Can you imagine a prettier  
sight?" asks the Atlanta Georgian.  
Sure! One hundred \$20 gold pieces.

One of the current magazines has  
an article on "What Lobsters Eat."  
Any chorus girl can tell you, if you  
don't care to buy the magazine.

From past experience we think it  
is more important whether the new  
ambassador proves satisfactory to Ja-  
pan than to the United States.

On Saturday a Baltimore man com-  
mitted suicide by hanging himself on  
a billboard. Perhaps he believed in  
that kind of advertising.

A Philadelphia man recently gave  
his daughter a \$100,000 coming out  
party. Few papas can afford to play  
in a game like that.

Schmitz's chances for evading pun-  
ishment appear to be improving with  
age.

**How About Your Sidewalk?**  
Chief of Police Boulton issued orders  
to the police last evening to notify  
the up-town business men to clean the  
snow and ice from the sidewalks of  
their respective places of business at  
once. In accordance, the police began  
their task this morning and the work  
is being done—in some instances.

**CASTORIA.**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature  
*Cast H. Little*

## Figs! Figs! Figs!

Of all kinds, from 10c to  
30c the pound.

## BRIE CHEESE

Neufchatel, imported,  
Swiss, brick and full  
cream cheeses.

## FRUITS

Extra fine large grape  
fruit, each ..... 15c  
Small grape fruit..... 10c  
Extra fine Malaga grapes,  
per lb..... 20c  
Fine Florida and Navel  
oranges, bananas, apples,  
etc.

## FRESH TOMATOES

Cauliflower, celery, let-  
tuce, sweet potatoes, etc.

## COFFEE

Our Golden Roast; noth-  
ing like it in town for  
the money; per lb..... 25c

HICKS  
THE GROCER

## TOPPLED FROM A POLE

Cellar Caught on a Hook and Boy  
Strangled to Death.

Knoxville, Tenn., Jan. 13.—A re-  
markable accident cost 16-year-old  
Walter Jones, son of U. S. Jones, of  
Jellico, Tenn., his life here.

Several men watched the youth  
slowly strangle to death, afraid to go  
to his assistance because of a delu-  
sion that he was charged with elec-  
tricity.

Young Jones had climbed a pole to  
watch an incoming train, and losing  
his footing fell.

His coat collar caught on the bot-  
tom foot support of the pole within  
a few feet of the ground, and he  
slowly choked to death. Citizens  
with rubber gloves finally released  
the dead body.

## SAVES FORTUNE ON \$12 A WEEK

Teamster, Retiring at 90, Not Missed  
Day in Forty Years.

Danvers, Mass., Jan. 13.—Henry H.  
West retires from active service as  
teamster for the Spencer Wire Co.  
here, at the age of 90 years, after  
having accumulated a small fortune  
from his salary of \$12 a week.

West had been in the employ of  
the company for forty years and dur-  
ing that time was absent from his  
work not a single day.

In his lifetime he seldom earned  
more than \$12 a week, but he retires  
with a fortune of \$50,000.

## This Is Worth Remembering.

Whenever you have a cough or  
cold, just remember that Foley's Hon-  
ey and Tar will cure it. Do not risk  
your health by taking any but the  
genuine. It is in a yellow package.  
Arlington Pharmacy.

## Invitations to the Wedding

Should be given careful consid-  
eration. Thomas Printing and Scenic  
Co., 115 East Second street, expert  
printers and engravers, are constantly  
executing the finest. Samples and  
lowest prices given on application.

## Will Install Officers.

Garnet council No. 765, Fraternal  
Aid Association, will install its offi-  
cers-elect tomorrow night.

Staple and  
Fancy  
Groceries

## A Trial Order Solicited

**GEORGE M. PEMBERTON**

## ESTABLISHED 1889

## DONNOHUE LOAN AND INVESTMENT CO.

**J. D. DONNOHUE, Managing Director.**

**MONEY**  
ALWAYS  
READY.

**First**  
Mortgage  
Real Estate  
Loans

**J. D. DONNOHUE,**  
Attorney and  
Counselor at Law.

AND A GENERAL FINANCIAL BUSINESS.

Executors, Administrators, Assignees

## BLOW AT OHIO TAFT MEN

ATTORNEYS ON NATIONAL COM-  
MITTEE DECIDE AGAINST  
PRIMARY CHOICE.

## FORAKER AT LAST SCORES A POINT

Decision Presages Seating of the Lat-  
ter's Delegates if Contest Should  
Come Before the National  
Committee.

Washington, Jan. 13.—A sub-com-  
mittee of the republican national  
committee has decided informally  
against direct primaries in Ohio in  
the selection of district delegates.

The decision, while not binding, is  
a distinct reverse for the Taft forces  
there, and is taken to presage the  
seating of Foraker delegates if a con-  
testing delegation should be sent to  
the republican national convention by  
the senator.

In the final analysis it remains for  
the republican national committee to  
settle the contest between the Taft  
and Foraker forces in Ohio as to  
whether district delegates from the  
state to the national convention  
should be selected by direct primary  
or in convention.

While the committee has made no  
formal decision, it announced through  
its secretary, Elmer Dover, the opi-  
nion of two of "three distinguished  
lawyers" to whom the Ohio state law  
and the call of the committee in its  
bearing on the Ohio squabble was re-  
ferred.

In accordance with the opinion, it  
is expected that all direct delegates  
in Ohio will be selected in conven-  
tions. It will have no effect on the  
plans to name by primary February  
11 delegates to the Ohio state con-  
vention, which will elect four dele-  
gates at large from that state.

The lawyers referred to, all mem-  
bers of the committee, are John W.  
Yerkes, of Kentucky; Charles F.  
Streeter, of New Hampshire, and F.  
B. Kellogg, of Minnesota. Messrs.  
Yerkes and Streeter delivered the  
opinion.

## LID LEAGUE FALLS DOWN

Prosecutions Left With Regularly  
Chosen Officials.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—The Law and  
Order League, the power behind the  
prosecution of the Sunday saloons,  
has reluctantly withdrawn from fur-  
ther participation in the trials of the  
saloon keepers against whom they se-  
cured evidence. Necessary retrench-  
ment of expenses is the cause.

In the coming trials the lawyer for  
the league will not be associated with  
the assistant state's attorney, and the  
detectives, who are paid from the  
treasury of the league, will not be  
called as witnesses.

## TELEGRAMS TO SHOW TIME

Georgia Edict Puts Strong Crimp in  
Tardy Service.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 13.—In about ten  
days, or as soon as due notice has

## STOP

and  
**CONSIDER**

IF you have gotten tired carry-  
ing your money around in  
your pocket, or if you have grown  
tired walking the floor nights for  
fear some one will steal it from  
you; or that the house may catch  
fire and burn it up, we would be  
glad to take care of it for you and  
pay you 3 per cent compound in-  
terest for the use of it.

## Sedalia Trust Co.

The Home of  
Small Savings Accounts.  
Fourth and Ohio

been given by the state railroad com-  
mission, all telegrams delivered in  
Georgia must show upon their face  
the exact hour and minute of their  
receipt both at the forwarding and  
delivery office.

The commission, after hearing com-  
plaints from business men, passed an  
order to that effect.

While the order does not so speci-  
fically state, it is understood its ap-  
plication will be only to telegrams be-  
tween Georgia points.

## ATTORNEYS ARE BLAMED

JUDGE W. H. WALLACE PROPOSED  
AN EARLY TRIAL FOR THE-  
ATER OWNERS.

## THE PROPOSITION WAS REJECTED

Wanted to Call in Impartial Judge to  
Try One of the Cases on the 22d,  
Take It to Supreme Court,  
but Met With Refusal.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 13.—All of  
the persons indicted Friday on the  
charge of violating the law which for-  
bids unnecessary labor on Sunday ap-  
peared in the criminal court Saturday  
and gave bond for their appearance  
for trial. Each theatrical manager  
was forced to put up a bond of \$200  
for each actor and employee who  
worked last Sunday.

Judge William Wallace, in open  
court Saturday, denied the oft-repea-  
ted charge that he was delaying the  
trial of persons previously indicted  
for Sunday violations.

The judge said that dilatory tac-  
tics had been resorted to by the at-  
torneys for the theaters. He then  
made a proposition to call in an im-  
partial judge to try one of the cases  
on January 22, the case then to be  
appealed to the supreme court. The  
attorneys for the theaters rejected  
the proposition.

## TO FIX FREIGHT RATES

Important Meeting Being Held in  
Chicago Today.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—Members of the  
transcontinental freight bureau and  
the central freight and trunk line as-  
sociations met here today for the  
most important conference held in a  
long period.

A complete schedule of the east  
and west bound transcontinental traf-  
fic, in accordance with the rulings of  
the interstate commerce commission,  
will be completed. It is likely that a  
commission will be appointed to meet  
the commerce commission, should  
any doubtful points appear in the  
traffics.

These new tariffs have cost the  
transportation companies a large  
amount of money and will be more  
complete than any similar publica-  
tions that have been compiled during  
the life of the transcontinental asso-  
ciation.

## WOMAN'S SHOTS HIT MARK

Bring Down a Man and Clear Crowd-  
ed Court Room.

Waukegan, Ill., Jan. 13.—Mrs. Maud  
Crews fired two shots at Arthur  
Nichols in a crowded court room here  
Saturday, wounding him seriously  
and causing the judge and spectators  
to take refuge in flight. She was ar-  
rested. Nichols was wounded in the  
left groin and left hand.

The shooting followed Nichols' dis-  
charge by Judge Weiss, after he had  
been arraigned in police court on com-  
plaint of Mrs. Crews, who alleged  
that he had tried to run her down  
with his horse, and had struck at her  
with a whip last night.

Nichols asserted that the woman's  
act was the result of "an insane in-  
fantuation" for him.

## Simple Remedy for La Grippe.

La grippe coughs are dangerous, as  
they frequently develop into pneumo-  
nia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only  
stops the cough, but heals and  
strengthens the lungs so that no se-  
rious results need be feared. The  
genuine Foley's Honey and Tar con-  
tains no harmful drugs and is in a  
yellow package. Refuse substitutes.

## The Troops Are to Go.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Federal  
troops are to be withdrawn from Gold-  
field, Nev., soon after the legislature  
meets tomorrow. The president so  
decided.

## If You Knew

The merits of Texas Wonder, you  
would never suffer from kidney, blad-  
der or rheumatic trouble, \$1 bottle  
two months' treatment, sold by W. E.  
Bard Drug Co. Testimonials with  
each bottle.

Think!



## BARGAINS

Ladies' \$3.50 and \$4 Shoes  
for \$2.50  
Men's \$5.00 and \$6.00 Shoes  
for \$3.50

Children's Shoes 50c, 75c and \$1.00

Boys Shoes \$1.00 up.

Stocking Caps 10c

Men's Caps \$25c, worth up to \$1.00

House Slippers 25c

These and hundreds of other bargains  
will be found in the

**Big Shoe Sale**

--- at the ---

**PEOPLE'S**

SHOE STORE

204 Ohio Street

## POLICE CLOSE THEATER

Ticket Seller and Doorkeeper Were  
Arrested.

Muskogee, Ok., Jan. 13.—A squad  
of police and ten armed deputy sher-  
iffs stopped the performance at the  
Lyric theater here yesterday.

The ticket seller and doorkeeper

were arrested and made to return the  
money to the patrons. Employees of  
the theater were released on bond.

Saturday County Attorney W. J.  
Crump was denied an injunction in  
the district court, preventing the  
opening of the theater Sunday. There  
is a city ordinance against Sun-  
day theaters.

LOEWER, TAILOR, FOR SUITS  
AND OVERCOATS. 112 E. 3RD ST.

## THIRD NATIONAL BANK, Sedalia, Mo.

## CONFIDENCE.

All business is based on confidence  
—a shorter word, faith—and this in-  
stitution is fortunate in having se-  
cured, because it merited, the con-  
fidence of the community. You will  
do well to bring to us your savings  
and earnings, well assured that they  
will grow under our watchful care  
and cautious investment, so that you  
will be the gainer as the years go by.

W. A. LATIMER, H. W. HARRIS,  
Cashier. Pres.



E. F. YANCEY, President.  
W. H. EVANS, Vice-Pres.

E. R. BLAIR, Cashier.  
W. O. TERRY, Asst. Cashier

The Sedalia National Bank  
Does a General Banking Business.

## Note Its Directors:—

E. F. YANCEY, W. H. EVANS, MARTIN RENKEN,  
H. W. MEUSCHKE, W. A. LOWER, J. W. MURPHY,  
HENRY LAMM, J. C. WILLIAMS, E. R. BLAIR.

Don't Wait for an Invitation, But Go to This Progressive Bank and Do  
Your Business.

Official Statement of the Condition of the  
CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK,  
Sedalia, Mo., at the Close of Business December 31, 1907.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts.....\$ 892,388.45	Capital stock.....\$ 100,000.00
Overdrafts..... 3,100.66	Surplus fund..... 100,000.00
Bank building and fix- tures..... 21,675.00	Circulation..... 100,000.00
Real estate..... 1,450.00	Undivided profits..... 22,040.69
U. S. bonds and prem- iums..... 101,800.00	Bills payable..... 35,000.00
Other bonds..... 50,000.00	Deposits..... 1,059,155.78
Five per cent redem- ption fund..... 5,000.00	
Cash and sight ex- change..... 340,782.36	
Total.....\$1,416,196.47	Total.....\$1,416,196.47

The above statement is correct. W. H. POWELL, Cashier.



## AMUSEMENTS

### Wood's Opera House

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19.

"The reputation of an Amusement Enterprise, whether for the goodness of its wares—or otherwise—is not gotten by chance. IT'S USUALLY EARNED."

We guarantee your money's worth, or your money back if you see

### MR. WM. H. LEMLE

IN HIS GORGEOUS SCENIC REVIVAL OF THE POWERFUL MELODRAMA—

## "Monte Cristo"

AND ARE NOW THOROUGHLY SATISFIED.

The play that has and must outlive them all.

PRICES—25c, 35c, 50c and 75c. Box Seats, \$1. Seats Now Selling.

ENGAGEMENT EXTRAORDINARY. THE EVENT OF THE SEASON.

TUESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 21.

## Bertha Kalich

In Harrison Grey Fiske's Production of

## "Marta of the Lowlands"

By Angel Guimera.

Translated by Wallace Gillpatrick and Guido Marburg.

PRICES—50c to \$1.50. Box Seats, \$2.00. Seats Now Selling. Carriage Call 10:30.

## Timely Bargains

See to it that you get some of them.

Ladies' full length Coats, in good quality kersey, black or castor, and nicely trimmed.

3.87

Children's bearskin Coats, in colors; \$3 and \$3.50 values

1.75

Fine soft Outing Flannels, excellent quality heavy fleece, marked down to,

83c

Ladies' full size Fascinators, in many different colors; buy any of them now

19c

Amazing reductions on every Fur in our stock, and don't forget that they are of best quality.

Many other bargains that we cannot tell you of here—so we suggest a visit to the store.

## C. E. MESSERLY

Bridal and Groom in Mexico.

G. W. Whitworth, a Katy train auditor, and bride, who were married at St. Louis last Tuesday, are now spending their honeymoon in Old Mexico and will later return to St. Louis to make their home.

From rolling fields to roller mills—"Pride of Perry" flour.

## The Lands of Promise

and of fulfillment, where climate is also an asset, are along the Santa Fe, and easy to reach. There are irrigated farms, sections where dry-farming is practiced, and places where rainfall is depended upon. In some localities all these methods may be followed.

Read about the various sections. Then visit them. Homeseekers' Excursion tickets are sold semi-monthly to Texas, Pecos Valley and certain portions of Colorado and Arizona; limit twenty-one or thirty days, dependent on destination. Their use will save you something.



THE PECOS VALLEY  
THE SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY  
NEW MEXICO AND ARIZONA  
TEXAS, COLORADO

G. W. HAGENBUCH, General Agent,  
905 Main St., Kansas City, Mo.

All  
Free

## Removed! Missouri Central Lumber Company

Beg leave to announce that it has removed its office from 3rd & Osage Streets to Main & Massachusetts Streets, where it will be pleased to see all of its friends. New stock and low prices. Call and see us.

Stuart, Mgr. King

bar. Down at Weatherford, Texas, the people are still talking of the excessive brightness of "Mart" Littleton. They are not surprised that he has become one of the greatest lawyers in the country. They would not be surprised at any greatness "Mart" may achieve, even to the presidency.

Littleton left the little town of Weatherford to embark in a greater career in Dallas. He was only 21 when he invaded the big Texas city, but the older and more seasoned attorneys of the Dallas bar were soon forced to admit that the Weatherford "boy lawyer" was a smart youngster, and when he had shown his ability in a few important cases he cut a large niche for himself as one of the foremost lawyers of the North Texas metropolis.

On Dec. 1, 1896, at the age of 24, the young lawyer married Miss Maud Wilson in Dallas. Considering Dallas too small to afford full scope for his ability, Littleton decided to establish himself in the nation's metropolis. Giving up her luxurious home in Texas, the bride of a few days set forth with Littleton for New York. The couple had little money, but Littleton was primed with ambition and his young wife abounded in faith. So, late in 1896, Littleton first set foot in New York—the great, careless, heartless city he had come to conquer.

And he did conquer. The task was not easy at first. But Littleton's spirit was indomitable. He did not wait for opportunities. He made them. The metropolitan lawyers, with blase smugness at first, sneered at the enthusiasm of the young Texan. But less than three years after his arrival in New York Littleton was made an assistant district attorney of Kings county, a position which many older and more experienced lawyers would have been glad to secure. While serving in this capacity in Brooklyn, Littleton prosecuted "Get-Rich-Quick" Miller, and assisted in conducting many other famous cases.

New York is quick to recognize genius, so it was not long before Littleton had become famous as an orator and after dinner speaker. He combined the suave charm of the southern gentleman with the nervous alertness of the Yankee, and the combination was a pleasing one to his auditors.

It was in 1900 that Littleton became a national figure. Called upon to "fill in" at a Brooklyn democratic meeting which was addressed by men of national fame, he became the orator of the evening. In 1904 the democrats of New York decided that Littleton was the man to deliver the speech nominating Alton B. Parker for the presidency at the St. Louis convention, and if the enthusiasm he created among the delegates could have spread among the voters of the country, Parker would have been elected. In 1904 and 1905 Littleton was borough president of Brooklyn, and he makes his home in the big borough across the bridge.

He retired from public life two or three years ago, in order that he might build up a private law practice, and in this he has been as successful as in all his other endeavors. If he succeeds in securing the acquittal of Harry K. Thaw, pitted as he is, against the master of criminal prosecution, Jerome, he will have succeeded in his boyish ambition to "conquer" New York.

### How to Avoid Pneumonia.

You can avoid pneumonia and other serious results from a cold by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Arlington Pharmacy.

### Former Sedalian Buys a Paper.

The Kirksville Democrat, for the last two years owned by Minter, Calhoun & English, was sold Saturday to Sam Wiley and Charles N. Tolman, who will continue its publication as a democratic paper. It was established thirty-eight years ago, and is the only democratic paper in the county. Mr. Tolman was for several months a resident of Sedalia, and his wife gave instruction to classes of music in several of the surrounding towns.

### Don't Forget

Each Tuesday night, commencing January 14, Miss Gertrude Wagner will give a reception and lessons in dancing at the Sedalia Printing Co.'s hall. For beginners as well as advanced dancers. Good time assured to all.

### Car Jumped the Track.

Street car No. 105 jumped the track in front of H. E. Huston's livery barn on East Third street this morning, causing a brief delay.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the

## BILLY WILLIAMS FOUND

THE OLD-TIME MINSTREL WHO  
DISAPPEARED FROM LIN.  
COLN RECENTLY.

### HE WAS LOCATED AT ASHLAND, NEB

Man Who a Few Months Ago Wanted to Give an Entertainment in Sedalia Has Had a Life of "Ups and Downs."

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 13.—"Billy" Williams, the old-time minstrel, who disappeared from Lincoln a week ago, was found Saturday in the town of Ashland and will be brought to Lincoln.

He is dangerously ill, a result of nervous trouble, according to the Rev. W. M. Bach, of this city, who went to Ashland to care for him.

The former minstrel recently became an evangelist and temperance advocate.

In "Billy" Williams' life of ups and downs, disappearances have come often. His first was when he ran away from Fordham college, where he was being educated for the priesthood, to join a circus and be trained in dance steps by Dan Rice. With "Happy Cal" Wagner, Williams made a fortune in minstrelsy. When the south was scourged with yellow fever a few years ago, \$20,000 of this fortune went to pay for medicine and burials.

A dramatic school in Denver was the support of the old-time minstrel until last year. All health forced him to give this up. In August he disappeared, but was found in a few weeks. A disease of the heart and brain has ruined his health. He has a wife and six children. Williams' announcement that he would become a temperance worker was made in Kansas City.

### BETS \$5,000 ON JOHNSON

Wagers at Hoffman House Months Before Convention.

New York, Jan. 13.—With the conventions which will nominate presidential candidates still months away, betting on the result of the election has already been started at the metropolitan headquarters for campaign wagers, the Hoffman house.

The first wager of the campaign is reported as having been recorded Saturday night on the offer of John S. McDonald, the turfman, to bet \$5,000 that Governor John A. Johnson, of Minnesota, if nominated for the presidency, would be elected.

The reported taker of the wager is Thomas H. Shevlin, father of Thomas Shevlin, the Yale football player, and at one time member of the republican national committee from Minnesota.

It is very important and in fact it is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promptly at the first signs of trouble—which are belching of gas, nausea, sour stomach, headache, irritability and nervousness. These are warnings that the stomach has been mistreated; it is doing too much work and it is demanding help from you. Take something once in a while; especially after meals; something like KODOL For Dyspepsia and Indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

Good Storage rooms and large moving vans. Household goods packed, shipped and stored.—Huston Transfer Co. Phones 157.

### Weather Report.

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday. Rising temperature Tuesday.

### Bronchial Lozengers

For

Scratchy Throats.

Throat irritations are quickly soothed by

WILCOX'S BRONCHIAL LOZENGERS

Not a strong, dopy cough drop, but a mild, yet efficient troch that dissolves in the mouth and furnishes bland substances which allay throat inflammations.

Wilcox's Bronchial Lozengers

are small, easily carried in the pocket and taken anywhere.

So thin they may be held in the mouth without being noticed by others.

Put one on the tongue at bed time, you will not be troubled by scratchy throat during sleep. Price 10 cents.

DAN WILCOX, Druggist

# A Wonderful Machine

## GIVES FLATTERING RESULTS

The Inhalatorium Cabinet which I have had in my office for the last six months has been successful beyond my expectations. During this time I have treated two hundred and fifty-eight cases. Two hundred have been cured and discharged and forty-eight are now under treatment. Ten cases I did not cure, and discontinued treatment, this being only four per cent that I failed to cure. I have had the worst and most obstinate cases in the community. Most all of them had been the "rounds" and treated by many physicians without any benefit. I have had four cases that have been diagnosed as consumption and incurable, which are now cured and discharged. I have had many catarrhal and bronchial troubles that had been treated by many physicians, without any perceptive benefit, that have been cured and discharged. I have cured several bad cases of rheumatism that baffled the skill of the family physicians.

## I Am Going to Make a Very Liberal Offer For the Next Few Days

Beginning Monday morning, January 13, I will give a very low rate for a few days only, in order to give everyone an opportunity to try not only the inhalatorium treatment, but cellular vibrations and electricity. It is a well known fact that drugs alone will not cure chronic diseases. Patients' stomachs become worn out from a continual drugging.

REMEMBER, this low rate will last a few days only and I would advise everyone to come at once, as it will only take a few days to have all the patients I can take care of. I will guarantee to cure any case of a gripe with two treatments of the inhalatorium, provided they follow my instructions.

## Your Health Is Your Living

BROKEN DOWN CONSTITUTIONS MAKE POOR PROVIDERS, AND POOR SELF-SUSTAINERS. BESIDES MAKING LIFE A BLANK AND A DREAD. DON'T DELAY FOR A DAY, BUT TAKE ADVANTAGE OF MY OFFER AND KNOW YOURSELF AND BE WELL. I WILL TELL YOU YOUR CONDITION AND HOW TO BECOME IMMEDIATELY CURED. IF YOU DESIRE ME TO SCIENTIFICALLY TREAT YOU MY CHARGES WILL BE MODERATE AND YOUR CURE ACCOMPLISHED AT ONCE. THE POOREST MAN ON EARTH CAN BE CURED BY ME.

Stricture, Vericocoele, Piles, Fistula, Discharges cured in a few days.

No pain, no hospital, no chloroform, no detention from business.

BLOOD POISON, NERVOUS DEBILITY, THREATENED PARALYSIS, PROSTATITIS, SPECIAL CONTRACTED DISEASES, AND ALL RECTAL, KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLES CURED IN A SHORT TIME. COME IN AND SEE MY WONDERFUL EQUIPMENTS FOR THE MODERN TREATMENT OF THESE DISEASES. MEDICINES ALONE WILL NOT CURE YOU. PERMANENT CURES GUARANTEED.

## IMPORTANT

MEN AND WOMEN—I am prepared to give you modern, scientific treatment for your special maladies. Medicines alone will not cure you—a fact which you probably have already discovered and now sadly realize. You are not looking for "patch work," but you are seeking a "permanent cure." MY NEW METHOD TREATMENT fulfills every individual requirement. You must come to see me sooner or later, WHY NOT NOW, before you waste your available time and too much money on useless and dangerous experiments. Call and get an honest, scientific opinion free of charge. You will find my charges moderate and terms reasonable. You are always welcome. My office in centrally located, easy of access and well arranged for private and confidential consultation.

I MAKE NO MISLEADING STATEMENTS or deceptive propositions, such as free treatment, no-pay-until-cured catches or similar devices to sell medicines, belts, etc. An honest doctor of recognized ability does not resort to such methods.

Neither do I promise to cure them IN A FEW DAYS in order to secure their patronage, but I guarantee a COMPLETE, SAFE AND LASTING CURE in the QUICKEST POSSIBLE TIME without leaving injurious after effects in the system, and at the lowest cost possible for HONEST, SKILLFUL AND SUCCESSFUL TREATMENT.

MY MOTTO—Reasonable Charges—Liberal Terms—Honest Dealings.

## DR. CAMP,

### 225 S. Ohio—Over Smoke House

Office Hours—9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Sundays, 9 to 12. Positively no office hours Sunday afternoon.

## SHORT COURSE IN FARMING

Indiana Tillers of the Soil Meet at Lafayette.

Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 13.—Hundreds of Hoosier farmers, many grizzled and gray, renewed their school days this morning and, rising with the sun, trudged off to the halls of learning, where they will have a busy week of instruction in the modern arts of agriculture, stock raising, dairying, horticulture and housekeeping.

The latter course is for the "women-folks" of the farm, and many of the fair sex are here with their husbands to gain knowledge in domestic economy.

The short course in farming is being conducted by the experts of the Purdue University school of agriculture. The Indiana Corn Growers' association and the Indiana Horticultural society will hold meetings and exhibitions during the week. The Purdue "short course in farming" is the best known of its kind in the country and every year attracts over a thousand farmers.

## THE \$15 A WEEK CHORUS GIRL

Must Tell in Regard to Her Diamonds and Automobiles.

New York, Jan. 13.—Fifteen dollar a week chorus girls who own automobiles and diamonds and other articles of luxury will be required to tell how they got 'em, if the threats of the tax commissioners are carried out.

This was one of the developments of "tax day" in the metropolis, and after today the chorus girl will have to tell her secret, pay taxes on her property or flee from the wrath to

come. The tax commissioner declares that other ladies pay taxes on diamond tiaras and devil wagons and such, and why not the tootsy-wootsy chorus girl?

The tax collectors are evidently sternly bent on their mission and are not to be cajoled by winsome smiles or cunning displays of lingerie. The chorus lady must tell or pay.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE TO GASOLINE CONSUMERS

Owing to the ordinance recently passed by the city council making it a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of \$25 for delivery to a consumer gasoline in any quantity exceeding one pint, unless the can or receptacle of the consumer shall be painted red and labeled on said can by white letters one inch in height the word, "Gasoline," consumers are earnestly requested to immediately provide themselves with such receptacle, as no gasoline will be delivered by us until same is furnished.—Retail Merchants' Association.

### Lotus Club to Give Dance.

The Lotus club met at the Business Men's club rooms Sunday afternoon and arranged to give a dance at the Sedalia Printing company hall on the night of January 20. Brandt's orchestra will furnish the music.

It goes to the root of the disease, strengthens and invigorates. Its life giving qualities are not contained in any other remedy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has stood the severest test—time. For thirty years the surest remedy. 35 cents, tea or tablets.—W. E. Bard, Drug Co.

## THE BRICKLAYERS' UNION

Craftsmen From All Over the Country Meet in Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 13.—Bricklayers from all over this country and from Canada are in Detroit today for the convention of the international union of the trade.

The meeting will probably last three weeks, as a convention of the union has not been held for two years and there are many matters of great importance before the body for settlement. The gathering is expected to mark the inauguration of a renewed and vigorous opposition to the open shop idea.

National officers will be elected for the coming two years before the convention adjourns.

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25 Doz. Pleated Bosom, All Madras \$1.50 Shirts

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20 Doz. Plain Soft Bosom \$1.00 Shirts, cuffs attached or detached,

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### LARGE CROWDS SUNDAY

Evangelist Andrews at the M. E. Church, South.

The revival meeting at the M. E. church, South, is growing in interest and power and promises to be a great awakening.

A packed house heard Evangelist Andrews on "The Traps of the Devil" and listened with breathless interest as the speaker, one by one, uncovered the "snares of the fowler." He told of the devil's snares that were often baited and set by church members. He said that many church members were just decoys of the devil—tools to be used in the devil's service.

Seldom does one hear such a powerful portrayal of sin's snares, and many went away with a fixed resolve to avoid the snares of the evil one.

At night the subject was "The Wages of Sin," and the greatest congregation that has yet been present heard this powerful sermon.

Evangelist Andrews said the devil didn't want us to be too bad, or we would excite suspicion—just to be on his pay roll, that was enough. If we would not run a saloon, then serve whisky punch.

If we were not vile, then "un to theaters."

All the devil wants is to have a claim and he will see to the collection.

Three were received into the church yesterday.

Evangelist Andrews preaches again tonight; come to hear him.

### Bank Meeting at Lamonte.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lamonte bank was held this morning in that city, the same board of directors being elected, and the following officers that served:

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A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney troubles, Rheumatism, Bile, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache, etc. Backache. Its Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 25 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.

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## REMOVAL NOTICE

### G. B. BUTCHER'S

Grocery store now located in the X-Ray building, at Sixteenth and Vermont, will be moved to his new store building, one block west, corner Sixteenth and Missouri avenue, about

# JANUARY 15

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## A Great Magazine Bargain

McCLURE'S MAGAZINE..... \$1.50  
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We will make you a special price on this combination for

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P. S.—A great bargain is offered you in writing paper. A box of fine quality paper, 50 sheets and 50 envelopes, for 30c.

## SALOON MEN PLEDGED

AGREE TO RUN DECENT PLACES  
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### JOINED "RETAIL LIQUOR LEAGUE"

Will Conduct Saloons Without Crap Games or Other Forms of Gambling—Started Out With Membership of 125.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 13.—The Cincinnati Retail Liquor league, a branch of the Ohio Liquor league, was formally organized at a meeting in the Grand hotel yesterday afternoon. Fourteen hundred invitations were sent out to saloon keepers in Cincinnati and Hamilton county, and about 250 responded in person.

A preliminary meeting, in which considerable plain talk, was indulged in, was first held, only saloon keepers who had received invitations being admitted. Secretary N. Duttie, Dayton, Ohio, of the Ohio Liquor league, and Theodore Foucar, who presided, first explained in detail the object of the organization. It is, they said, to bring the saloon business to a higher plane, both actually and in the estimation of the public, than it now occupies and to wipe out gambling and other disreputable features connected with some saloons. During the general discussion one speaker evidently voiced the sentiment of the majority of those present when he declared:

"One or two saloons out of a hundred have 'hell holes' attached to them, and all the other saloons have to share the blame for them. They have crap games and other gambling in their back rooms, and when workmen lose their wages on Saturday nights or there is other trouble the saloon and saloons in general are blamed. It is not the saloons, but the sitting rooms and gambling and other things that have no business in saloons, and violating the midnight closing laws, that cause all the trouble. We do not want any saloon-keepers in this organization who are not willing to pledge themselves to conduct decent places. We are not trying to put anyone out of business, but we do propose to change some things in the saloon business for our own good and for the protection of the business."

After more talk along the same line all those who were ready and willing to join the organization and take the obligation which it imposes were invited to remain, and all those who did not desire to do so were invited to withdraw. Several saloon keepers said that it was the first meeting they had attended and the first time they had had the matter explained to them. They wanted, they said, a little more time to consider the matter. About 100 then left the hall.

The temporary officers elected last month were elected the permanent officers and were installed in office by Secretary Duttie, of the Ohio Liquor league. They are: President, Theodore Foucar; vice president, L. A. Thilly; secretary, M. Meidel; treasurer, Joseph Dermody; financial secretary, A. G. Schmidlin. The charter was signed by over 125 retail liquor dealers, and it was stated that the membership will be doubled at the next meeting. A majority of those who left the hall, it was said, will later become members, while some of the others will not be allowed to join until they change the present method of conducting their saloons.

### BURNS ALIVE BEFORE 500

Crowd Helpless to Rescue Miner From Blazing Cabin.

Searchlight, Nev., Jan. 13.—Over 500 people stood helplessly by and saw an aged miner burned to death in his cabin here Saturday night.

The unfortunate man was John W. Gregor, 64 years of age. The upsetting of a lamp was the cause of the fire. Two men dashed into the flames, but were unable to rescue the miner. His body was burned to a crisp.

### Farm Wanted.

Wanted, a good farm near some good town in Missouri; prefer Sedalia or its neighborhood; will trade my stock of general merchandise situated in a good Northeastern Iowa town of about 900 inhabitants; stock will invoice \$7,000; can reduce; reason, want change of location and climate. For particulars address "Farm," care Democrat-Sentinel.

### NOTICE TO RETAIL MERCHANTS

Your attention is called to gasoline ordinance passed by the city council, in effect January 10, 1908.—C. C. Lawson, Secretary Retail Merchants' Association.

## THEATRE TALK NO. 5.

THE ENCYCLOPAEDIA BRITANNICA has long been recognized as the greatest of reference works, and is without question the greatest book of its kind that has ever been published in the English language. IN

A WHOLESOME STORY WELL TOLD ITS PAGES IT GIVES A LIST OF ONE HUNDRED OF THE GREATEST BOOKS THE WORLD HAS EVER PRODUCED. THE LIST IS HEADED BY "THE BIBLE" and well towards the head is the greatest of all romantic novels ever written, ALEXANDER DUMAS' "MONTE CRISTO." IT IS FROM THIS SPLENDIDLY WRITTEN ROMANCE that the stirring melodrama of the same name was dramatized. This famous work appeared in 1844 and may be said to have excited more universal interest than any romance since Robinson Crusoe or Waverley. THE EXTRAORDINARY COLOR, THE NEVER FLAGGING SPIRIT, the endless surprises, and the air of nature which is cast over even the most extravagant situations make this play worthy of the popularity it has enjoyed in almost every country of the world.

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"Monte Cristo" which has had the most solid success of any book play known to theatrical history. THE STORY IS A MOST IMPRESSIVE ONE AND DEALS WITH ALL THE PASSIONS AND EMOTIONS. The play, which is in five acts, is provided with a complete scenic investiture and the costumes are correct and in accordance with the period of the play. The trade mark established by the management is "YOUR MONEY'S WORTH OR YOUR MONEY BACK," so the public takes no chances when this sterling play is presented here.

It is no offer that a theatrical company visiting this city, will, as an evidence of good faith, give a public guarantee as to the excellence of the attraction, but Fred G. Conrad, the manager of "Monte Cristo" gives the following Guaranteed Pledge:

"We hereby authorize the local manager in every town that we play to guarantee to be first-class in every particular. The word 'guarantee' is much overworked; everybody can use it, and almost everybody does it's a pity to see it abused; 'guarantee' is a good word when it means anything. We use it because we have made it mean something. Cut this out, take it with you to the theatre, and if after the first act you are dissatisfied with the entertainment given, your money will be refunded. We personally guarantee the excellence of this attraction."

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### Wood's Opera House

Sunday Night, Jan. 19

No Police Court Cases.

There were no cases in police court today.

She Knew the Formula.

A stranger approached a little girl who was somewhat accustomed to interviews with the usual question, "What's your name, little girl?" The little girl, without looking up from her hand-plate, replied: "My name is Edith, and I'm four. She's my little sister; her name's Mildred and she's two. I don't want to go with you and be your little girl, and I know you can't steal my little sister."—Harper's Bazar.

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## Amusements

### WOOD OPERA HOUSE

A Grand Old Play. "Monte Cristo," the king of melodramas, will be the bill at Wood's opera house Sunday night, January 19. It will be the well known Fred G. Conrad production as arranged and played by Eugene Moore, one of the best of modern Monte Cristos. The fame of this great play is well merited for it is a most impressive dramatization of one of the most brilliant stories ever written. Out of the best of all melodramatic novels has been evolved the greatest of all romantic melodramas and both story and drama have achieved a popularity unparalleled in extent and vitality. "Monte Cristo" is a play for all classes of people and all ages. It is even a great play for those who cannot hear, but can only see, so bold and fascinating are all its scenes. Its outlines are so clear that the play can be enjoyed by sight. Manager Conrad has gathered a company of adequate strength and will bring his special scenery which has been prepared with the benefit of several seasons experience with this play. Prices, 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents. Box seats, \$1.00.

### Madame Kalich.

From every point of dramatic and artistic novelty and excellence the appearance of Bertha Kalich in "Marta of the Lowlands" at Wood's opera house, Tuesday, January 21, is the most important and interesting event of the season's theatrical offerings. The play is from the Spanish of Angel Guimera and is an especially striking piece of dramatic literature. It is a real drama revealed at a time when real drama is well nigh vanished from the theater. On the occasion of Madame Kalich's first appearance as Marta in Chicago the press was unanimous in declaring that she had again demonstrated her unusual dramatic powers, psychological insight and skill in technique of her art. Harrison Gray Fiske has surrounded Madame Kalich with an exceptionally strong company and mounted the piece with the artistic elaborateness that is a marked feature of all his productions.

### SEDALIA THEATER.

#### "Peggy From Paris."

Plenty of good music, clean comedy, good voices, pretty girls, and handsome costumes and effects; a veritable symposium of pleasing things that run riot with the delicate senses of sight and hearing. Such is George Ade's "Peggy From Paris," with dainty Helen Byron in the title role, in which she is a decided hit. Miss Byron is a charming little woman, dainty as a bit of rare old Dresden and possessing a voice of remarkable sweetness. "I'm Looking for a Sweetheart" and "As the World Rolls On," especially for her exclusive use in the piece, are the song hits of the play, and she is sure to captivate the hearts of the theater goers of Sedalia when she appears here on Thursday night at the Sedalia theater.

#### Allen Doone in "A Romance in Ireland."

The decided hit scored by the young singing comedian, Allen Doone, in the John Murphy plays has prompted Manager George W. Kenney to provide for his clever star a more ambitious vehicle for the display of his talents. In the new and successful scenic comedy drama, "A Romance in Ireland," in which he will be seen at the Sedalia theater Saturday matinee and night next, supported by an unusually powerful company of players, in a role which is particularly adapted to his peculiar personality. "A Romance in Ireland" is said to contain much to interest, amuse and thrill alternately, and moreover to be a distinct departure from the average Irish drama of our youth in plot and situations. Mr. Doone will sing several new songs.

#### "The Burgomaster."

"The Burgomaster," the most tuneful of all the many musical shows, is the Sedalia theater's offering on next Sunday night. Coming as it does fresh from a most phenomenal Chicago engagement, and with Gus Weinburg and Ruth White, heading the long list of players, it will surely be welcomed to Sedalia with more than usual interest. Both Gus Weinburg and Ruth White are warm local favorites and number their friends by the thousands. Besides the stars, the company includes Leo Kendall, Fred Bailey, J. J. McClure, George McKisick, Joseph F. Rooney, Robert Albright, Marion Mack, Marie Grandpre and the original Kangaroo Girls.

#### "Coming Thro' the Rye."

In the production of the famous musical comedy success, "Coming Thro' the Rye," which occurs at the Sedalia theater, Tuesday, January 21, receives

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the patronage which it undoubtedly merits an overflowing audience will be present to give it greeting. This remarkable production has achieved a record of success which stands without a parallel in the history of the stage in America. The cast is headed by Frank Lafor, a comedian of the very highest order of excellence, and he is assisted by an assemblage of fun makers and vocalists, all of whom have achieved celebrity in their special fields of endeavor. Augmenting these is a chorus and ballet of 60, made up principally of sweet-faced, graceful girls.

## THE LODGES

### Attention, Sir Knights.

St. Omer commandery No. 11, Knights Templar, will meet in special convocation Monday evening, January, at 7:30 for work in the Order of the Red Cross. Your attendance is requested. Visiting Sir Knights fraternally invited.

JOHN DEVLIN, E. C.

J. W. MALLERY, Recorder.

## NEBRASKA PIONEERS MEET

Some Lived There When Indians Were Chief Inhabitants.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 13.—Many aged citizens who came to Nebraska when it was a wild country inhabited mainly by Indians are in attendance today at the annual sessions of the Territorial Pioneers' association and the Nebraska State Historical association.

The meetings are being held in the new Temple building and the pioneers will be elaborately entertained during their stay in the city. The final session of the convention will be held tomorrow.

## TO TRY NEGRO MURDERER

George Wilson is Placed on Trial at Orange, N. J.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 13.—George Wilson, the negro indicted for the murder of Frederick R. Romer, at the Park hotel, Orange, was placed on trial today.

Little doubt is expressed that he will be speedily convicted and sentenced to the electric chair, as he has already confessed his guilt.

His plea of "not guilty" was entered to require with the law and the trial is a mere formality.

Do you have backache occasionally, or "stitches" in the side, and sometimes do you feel all tired out, without ambition and without energy? If so, your kidneys are out of order. Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They promptly relieve backache, weak back, inflammation of the bladder and weak kidneys. Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

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Mr. Imhoff Is Better.

County Clerk M. L. Imhoff, who is ill with a gripe, at his home, is reported better today.

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## PERSONALS

Lowney's chocolate—Arlington Pharmacy.

C. E. Smith went to Montrose today on business.

G. D. Malone made a business trip to Lamonte today.

George Miller made a business visit at Tipton today.

Pearl Teufel went to Green Ridge today on business.

W. H. Howard went to Tipton this morning on business.

G. A. Widder made a business trip to Knob Noster today.

J. H. Meyer went to Boonville this morning on business.

M. O. Allgaier went to Boonville this morning on business.

F. L. Farley went to Warrensburg this morning on business.

Peter Mayers went to Linn, Mo., this morning on business.

H. G. Bowman went to Kansas City this morning on business.

David Stern went to Kansas City this afternoon on business.

E. J. Beyeler went to Kansas City this morning for a brief visit.

J. A. Kenworthy went east on No. 22 this forenoon on business.

E. H. Hillyard went to Jefferson City this morning on business.

J. M. Johannes went to Kansas City this morning on business.

Mrs. Irvin Raut returned this afternoon from a visit at Smithton.

George H. Trader made a business visit at California, Mo., today.

Henry Knopfl returned this afternoon from a visit in St. Louis.

Miss Stella Hurley is confined to bed.

## Indigestion

Stomach trouble is but a symptom of, and not in itself a true disease. We think of dyspepsia, heartburn, and indigestion as real diseases, yet they are symptoms only of a certain specific nerve sickness—nothing else. It was this fact that first correctly led Dr. Shoop in the creation of that now very popular Stomach Remedy—Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Going direct to the stomach nerves, alone brought that success and favor to Dr. Shoop and his Restorative. Without that original and highly vital principle, no such lasting accomplishments were ever to be had. For stomach distress, bloating, biliousness, bad breath and sallow complexion, try Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—and see for yourself what it can and will do. We sell and cheerfully recommend.

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Miss Beulah M. Dyer, a student at Central Female college at Lexington, was visiting friends here Sunday.

J. A. Bowers, solicitor for the Democrat-Sentinel, is at Sweet Springs today in the interest of the paper.

Rev. J. Tanner, of Kansas City, is in the city on his way home, after holding quarterly meeting at Concordia.

Alderman F. F. Hatton and E. Stedman, a banker of Moulton, Tex., went to Smithton this morning on business.

Mrs. C. S. Dexter, who is at Maywood hospital, where she was operated upon recently, is getting along very nicely.

W. C. Whittechurch and S. Ellen Whittechurch, both of Lincoln, were in the city Sunday and put up at the Antlers hotel.

Mrs. L. J. Baughman, who has been confined to her bed for some time with a severe cold, is now able to be up and around.

Mrs. A. D. Agee, after a pleasant visit with her nephew, S. I. Major, left for her home at Springfield Saturday by the way of Sedalia, where

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Former \$35.00 Caracul coats	17.50
Former \$39.75 Caracul coats	19.87 1/2
Former \$50.00 Caracul coats	25.00
Former \$57.50 Caracul coats	28.75

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## TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Latest Wire Quotations on Grain, Live Stock and Local Products.

### The Grain Quotations.

The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by B. C. Christopher & Co., grain merchants, Board of Trade building, Kansas City, Mo.:

Grain receipts—Wheat, 192 cars; corn, 107 cars; oats, 12 cars.

Wheat market—One cent lower. No. 2 selling at \$1.00@1.04; No. 3 selling at 98c@1.01. Futures, May, 99 3/4c; July, 91 3/4c.

Corn market—One-fourth to 1/2 cent lower. No. 2 white, 54 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, 54 1/4c; No. 2 mixed, 53 3/4c. Futures—May, 54 1/4c; July, 54 1/4c.

Oats market—Unchanged, quality considered. No. 2 mixed, 49c; No. 2 white, 50@51c.

### Live Stock Quotations.

The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by Campbell Bros. & Rosson Live Stock Commission Co., stock brokers.

Live stock receipts—Cattle, 12,000; hogs, 15,000.

Cattle market—Weak to 10c lower. Best corn fed cattle, \$5.20@5.65; medium corn fed cattle, \$4.75@5.10; feeders, heavy, \$4.50@4.85; light, \$3.75@4.25; stockers, \$3.75@4.25; cows, best corn fed, \$4.50; medium, \$3.25@3.75; grass fed, \$4.00@4.50; stock calves, \$4.00@4.75; veal calves, \$6.00@7.00.

Hog market—Ten to 15 cents lower. Top, \$4.25; bulk, \$4.15@4.30. Choice heavy, over 250 lbs., \$4.20@4.35; choice prime, over 200 lbs., \$4.15@4.30; choice light, over 100 lbs., \$4.00@4.25.

## CASTORIA.

Better than mother used to make—the bread made from "Pride of Perry" flour.

## Wise Parents

Take proper care of their children's eyes. Cross eyes with children are mostly the consequence of muscular defects. In most cases it may be overcome by timely wearing the right kind of glasses. We never take chances of any kind in any case that comes before us. We make a most careful examination and furnish the right kind of glasses. The fitting of spectacles is our specialty.

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In New Quarters.  
Dr. E. Herrick, the veterinary surgeon, is now located at 218 South Osage street in the Ritter barns. He will in addition to his profession do a general feed and wagon yard business. His new location affords the best of facilities and prompt and reliable service is assured every patron. Bell phone 662.

## A RAILROAD GOES "DRY"

FORTY THOUSAND EMPLOYEES OF THE NORTHWESTERN SIGN PLEDGE.

### HOW THIS WAS BROUGHT ABOUT

Company Ordered That Drinkers Be First to Be Discharged in Reducing Force and Then Came the Temperance Wave.

Omaha, Jan. 13.—The Northwestern railroad system of 10,000 miles has gone "dry." Forty thousand employees of the road have "sworn off."

The last night of 1907 10,000 of the employees of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, reaching from the Great lakes to the Rocky mountains, became absolute "teetotalers" and signed a pledge to that effect. And each man pledged himself to use his personal influence to get the signatures of others.

The action of the Northwestern employees was not due to the preachings and efforts of temperance workers, but rather to that great wave of "business" temperance which is sweeping over the country. The men realized their positions were not safe if they drank, and that their lives were not safe if their companions drank. So, for the sake of their positions, they gave up their own drinks, and for the sake of their lives they have insisted on others giving up their drinks.

When the Northwestern railroad began reducing its force to the regular winter basis, this year the orders were that the drinking men were to be discharged first, no matter how competent they were, and that the temperance men were to be the last to go. It set the men to thinking. Only "teetotalers" were sure of their jobs. "Drinking men can't do the best work," they read on the bulletin boards in the offices. "Drinking men are menaces to the lives of their fellow workmen," they also read on the boards.

Almost simultaneously over the entire road there appeared blank pledges. All were to take effect the night of December 31, 1907. Everybody seemed to be in favor of the new move. The officials were pleased and lost no opportunity to show their pleasure. The idea of a railroad with not a drinking man in the service appealed to the operating officials as probably nothing else could have done.

But not all the employees would take the pledge. There are yet several thousand who are without the "fold," but according to the officials these will be gradually replaced by nondrinkers. The movement is not expected to stop with Northwestern employees. Railroads are quick to see any advantage secured by a competitor, and as the knowledge soon reaches the traveling public, other lines are expected to make the same

### "WILLIAM TAFT, WHITE HOUSE"

Address Upon Mail Sent to the Secretary From Cuba.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The opponents of Secretary Taft who have been scoffing at the numerous reports received recently as to the extent to which his presidential boom has grown, may as well prepare to walk down to the rear seats and rest for a long time. The positive proof was received in Washington yesterday.

It came through the mail from Havana, in the shape of a copy of a newspaper of the Cuban capital, called "El Nuevo Criollo." It was addressed to "Hon. William Taft, White House, Washington, D. C."

When you want the best, get Do Witt's Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve. It is good for little or big cuts, boils or bruises, and is especially recommended for piles. Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

## KANSAS MURDER MYSTERY

George Tennyson Charged With Killing his Father.

Marysville, Kan., Jan. 13.—George Tennyson, charged with the murder of his father, David Tennyson, on the night of February 27, 1906, was arraigned here today and held without bail for further hearing Monday next. The proceedings were brief.

### May Start a New Paper.

"Jumbo" Carter, who returned the past week from Topeka, Kas., has decided to remain here permanently, and is already figuring on establishing a straight republican weekly paper, devoted to the interests of the negro. Mr. Carter formerly published the

## Outing Flannel Gowns

For Women and Children

## At Big Reductions



A remarkable sale, to effect an immediate clearance. Cost is not considered in making the low prices that will prevail Monday upon these gowns—without reservation. Examine the fine grades of outing flannel used—soft, very warm, in attractive stripes of delicate coloring; also solid white; beautifully made. You'll note the difference between these and the flimsy, coarse materials and the unsanitary quickly finished garments that are so plenty hereabouts.

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WOMEN'S VERY BEST AMOSKEAG TEAZLEDOWN OUTING GOWNS—Beautiful light colors and white, full and liberal—exactly as illustrated—fine wash braid trimmed yokes, collars and sleeves; our regular 475c leader..... 50c

WOMEN'S \$1.00 OUTING FLANNEL GOWNS—And our special values at that price—5 styles, in highly desirable colorings and white; Monday the price will drop to, each..... 75c

ALL OUR \$1.25 OUTING FLANNEL GOWNS—Very elaborately trimmed; ruffled yokes, cuffs, etc.; wash silk braid trimmed; including complete line of extra large sizes..... 98c

Choice of all our \$1.50 outing flannel gowns..... 1.12 1/2  
Choice of all our \$1.98 outing flannel gowns..... 1.45

## Flower-Barnett

Times and is well known in negro newspaper circles.

## DELEGATION OF 50 WOMEN

Waited Upon Gov. Hoch in Topeka This Morning.

Topeka, Jan. 13.—A delegation of fifty prominent Kansas women called on Governor Hoch this morning and presented a petition, asking him to recommend in his message to the special session equal suffrage for women in all elections in Kansas. The governor gave them little encouragement. He told them he had had four bills in mind when he called the special sessions, and his message was prepared along these lines.

## PROHIBITION IS UPHOLD

United States Supreme Court Says the Kansas Law is Constitutional.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The supreme court of the United States today upheld the anti-liquor law of Kansas, declaring it constitutional by affirming the decision of the supreme court of that state in a number of cases, including that of Fritz Duren, of Shawnee county, convicted of violating the law.

## NO MORE Gasoline Explosions

The City Council Enacts Law That Will Make the Use of Gasoline Less Hazardous—New Law Provides for

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We Have Met the Requirements of the Law and Can Fill Your Orders. 'PHONE US YOUR ORDER

## KNIGHT-MARSHALL HARDWARE COMP'Y



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## SERVANT GIRL PROBLEM

WABASH RAILWAY COMPANY IS TO TRY TO SOLVE IT IN NEAR FUTURE.

## ADDITIONAL WORK FOR THE AGENTS

They are to Fill Out Blanks for Those Who Desire Help, and the Company Will Endeavor to Supply the Demand.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 13.—The Wabash railroad is to make an effort to solve the servant girl problem, and all agencies of that railroad will in the future act as employment agencies for domestics.

Orders and blanks are being issued to all ticket offices of the Wabash to take orders from servants from all responsible people. These orders describe in detail the service demanded and the kind of girl wanted, together with the amount paid.

These blanks are sent to headquarters and are filled either from immigration offices in New York, or from the agencies in the larger cities, where requests for positions will be received.

Incidentally the Wabash sends all servants to their destination over their own railroad lines, this being the road's recompense for its services.

## STRIKE DECLARED OFF

Carpenters, After Fight, Come to Terms With Employers.

The strike of the Carpenters' union of Belleville, Ill., which has been on since May 1, 1907, has been declared off, and a new contract drawn for the year.

The scale of wages will be 50 cents per hour, the union conceding to the

bosses the right to employ non-union labor, and also the jurisdiction over apprentices.

The scale is practically the same as that agreed upon by the state board of arbitration last August, under which the carpenters, however, refused to work because the bosses retained their non-union men.

## PLAN TO FIGHT DISEASE

Druggists Will Battle Stomach Troubles in Sedalia.

The increase of stomach troubles in Sedalia has led W. E. Bard Drug Co. to take effective measures to combat the disease. They have the local agency for Mi-na stomach tablets, and in order to induce people suffering with weak stomach or indigestion to use the remedy, offer to supply it with the distinct understanding that money will be refunded in every case where it does not cure.

Mi-na is not a mere digestive, but an absolute strengthener and builder-up of the whole digestive tract. If you suffer with headaches, giddiness, palpitation, bad taste in the mouth, nervousness, coated tongue, distress after eating, use Mi-na and see how quickly these symptoms of a weak stomach will disappear.

The remedy strengthens the muscular walls of the stomach and increases the flow of gastric juices so that nourishment is extracted from the food and the refuse is expelled without the aid of purgative or laxative medicines.

Remember that W. E. Bard Drug Co. give a guarantee to refund the money unless it cures. They take all risk, and there is no danger of your losing anything when you buy a 50-cent box of Mi-na.

## Gave a Birthday Dining.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Quinn Sunday celebrated the first birthday anniversary of their son, James Quinn, Jr., and in honor of the event entertained a number of relatives at dinner.

## TAFT GIVEN 494 VOTES

WASHINGTON POLITICIANS ARE BUSY WITH PENCILS AT PRESENT.

## 491 ARE NECESSARY FOR A CHOICE

President Refuses to Tell Whether or Not He Predicted the Nomination of the Secretary on the First Ballot.

Washington, Jan. 13.—President Roosevelt would neither confirm nor deny that he had predicted the nomination of Secretary Taft on the first ballot. All the comfort those could get who went to the White House for the purpose of hearing the president repudiate the newspaper stories was the assertion that the president had authorized no publication. Secretary Loeb smiled and said that the estimate sounded about right as he had figured it, but the president could speak for himself as to the authenticity of the newspaper publications.

After the president had made it known to callers who "leaked" that he regarded Secretary Taft's nomination on the first ballot as practically assured the politicians everywhere got busy with tablet and pencil. The first impression was that without any of the favorite son states and New England, which is conceded to no one and claimed by all, it was impossible to reckon the number of the Taft votes claimed by the president.

There will be in the republican national convention 980 delegates with 491 necessary to a choice. It was the president's prediction that Taft would carry all the states west of the Mississippi. There are conditions in two states, Utah and Nevada, which may defeat Taft, but eliminating these states from the Taft column and eliminating the District of Columbia with two delegates because of the uncertainty, more than enough votes in states which are claimed by Secretary Taft's supporters can be counted to give him a first ballot nomination, even though New York instruct for Hughes and solid delegations be sent for Cannon, Knox, Fairbanks and LaFollette from their own states.

Following is a table of the probable Taft strength, eliminating New England and the favorite son states:

Alabama	22
Arkansas	18
California	20
Colorado	10
Florida	10
Georgia	10
Idaho	6
Iowa	26
Kansas	20
Kentucky	16
Louisiana	18
Michigan	28
Minnesota	22
Mississippi	22
Missouri	36
Montana	6
Nebraska	16
North Carolina	12
North Dakota	8
Ohio	46
Oklahoma	14
Oregon	8
South Carolina	18
South Dakota	8
Tennessee	12
Texas	36
Washington	10
Wyoming	6
Alaska	2
Hawaii	2
New Mexico	2
Philippines	2
Porto Rico	2
Arizona	2

Total Necessary to a choice 494

In this table of probable first ballot strength the vote by states is given. In some instances one or two districts in a state may be carried by the opposition to Taft. In Michigan, for example, Taft is accredited with a solid delegation, but there is a fight against him in what is known as the Upper Peninsula district, where the copper interests have dominated politics and in Representative Forney's district, where the beet sugar industry has already committed itself to Cannon. To offset this are a large number of states which are expected to swing into line for Taft. It is altogether probable that Secretary Taft will receive more votes in New England than any other candidate. While New York is conceded to Hughes in the estimate, every report brought from that state indicates greater uncertainty as to Hughes' candidacy.

Only half of the delegates from North Carolina, half from Tennessee and half from Georgia are claimed because of factional differences, and only sixteen out of twenty-six delegates are claimed in Kentucky.

Any analysis which can be made of

showed at the corresponding period of 1896. The turning point in the McKinley campaign that year did not come until the Illinois convention surprised the country by refusing to endorse Cullom and instructed its delegates at large for McKinley. No effort will be made to oppose in any district declarations for Cannon in Illinois. If there should be hostility to his candidacy it would be because of local sentiment. The same policy will be pursued by the Taft management in all the other favorite son states.

## MONUMENT IS UNVEILED

WAS ACCOMPANIED BY A GREAT POPULAR DEMONSTRATION IN PARIS.

## ANNIVERSARY OF FAMOUS LETTER

"J'Accuse," Written Ten Years Ago in Defense of Capt. Dreyfus, Who Was Disgraced, Cause of the Celebration Today.

Paris, Jan. 13.—Accompanied by a great popular demonstration, the tenth anniversary of the appearance of Zola's famous letter, "J'Accuse," in which he began a vigorous literary warfare in behalf of the disgraced Dreyfus, was celebrated today by the unveiling and dedication of the magnificent monument to the great novelist.

The statue occupies a prominent place in the Place Dauphine, where thousands of people gathered today to honor the memory of the man who had dared advocate justice in the face of the antipathy of the officials and the mob.

The reading of the noted letter was a feature of the unveiling exercises, and at each ringing "J'Accuse" the crowd evidenced its appreciation by wild shouts of applause.

The Zola statue was commenced by Constantin Meunier, the Belgian sculptor, who died before its completion, when the work was taken up and finished by Alexandre Charpentier. Meunier's idea was to represent only Zola the writer. Charpentier completely altered this idea, and the completed statue represents, above everything, the accusing Zola of the Dreyfus affair.

The principal bas-relief on the pedestal represents the scene in the court d'Assises, with Zola standing before the tribunal, surrounded by his principal defenders, Clemenceau, Picquart, Scheurer-Kestner and others.

The other two bas-reliefs recall Zola, the social philosopher, with a miner as the figure of Germinal and a mother nursing her babe as the figure of Fecondite. The figure of Zola is remarkably life-like and has been pronounced by art critics to be one of the best examples of twentieth century sculpture in Paris.

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## WELCOME FOR THE FLEET

It Reached Rio de Janeiro, S. A., Sunday Afternoon.

Rio de Janeiro, Jan. 13.—The sixteen vessels composing the American battleship fleet, Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, commanding, arrived here at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

When the fleet arrived off Cape Frio, eighty miles to the eastward of Rio de Janeiro, it was met by the tender Yankton, Lieut. Cherardi commanding, which arrived here last Friday, she having been dispatched from Trinidad in advance of the fleet.

The Yankton delivered to Rear Admiral Evans dispatches containing instructions regarding the anchorage of the fleet in the harbor here, details of the official plans for the entertainment of the officers and other matters concerning the visit of the battleships.

As the fleet passed the lighthouse on Cape Frio a signal, set by order of the government, conveyed a welcome from the Brazilian people.

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## FATAL GAS EXPLOSION

It Occurred at Joplin, Missouri, Early Sunday Morning.

Joplin, Mo., Jan. 13.—Marvin Reynolds, aged 20, night clerk, was killed by an explosion of natural gas in the Olivia apartment house early Sunday morning, and Mrs. John F. Stevens, an occupant of the hotel, was seriously injured and John F. Stevens, mine operator, was slightly injured.

In rescuing Mrs. Stevens from death J. C. Barr and Harry Bishop, prominent society men, and O. E. Rendelari, owner of the Olivia, were slightly burned.

## WOMAN ACCUSES PHYSICIAN

Dr. J. S. Cussins to Answer Charge in Decatur, Ill.

Decatur, Ill., Jan. 13.—Dr. J. S. Cussins was placed under \$1,000 bond to answer to a charge of assault preferred by Mrs. Chloe Nelson, of Taylorville.

A preliminary hearing will be held Tuesday. Dr. Cussins alleges his arrest is due to an attempt of the woman to extort money from him.

Don't Forget

Each Tuesday night, commencing January 14, Miss Gertrude Wagner will give a reception and lessons in dancing at the Sedalia Printing Co.'s hall. For beginners as well as advanced dancers. Good time assured to all.

Attention, Housekeepers.

By a city ordinance recently passed by the city council it is unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to deliver or cause to be delivered to any consumer gasoline in any quantity exceeding one pint unless the receptacle be painted red and labeled with white letters not less than one inch in height, "Gasoline."

Users of gasoline will therefore prepare a receptacle according to the above specifications or be liable to the penalty prescribed in said ordinance.—John A. Collins, Mayor.

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## EDITOR SHOTS A "COP"

Aged Poet Declines to Ride in Omaha Patrol Wagon.

Omaha, Jan. 13.—Colonel Will L. Vischer, of Chicago, well known as a newspaper writer, shot and slightly injured Policeman P. H. Dillon here Saturday night. Vischer had been arrested, charged with disorderly conduct, and Dillon was trying to put him into the patrol wagon.

William Lightfoot Vischer, soldier, poet, actor and newspaper man, was born in Kentucky sixty-six years ago. For four years he carried a musket during the civil war.

More than 1,000 poems, published in newspapers and magazines, four novels and four ambitious books of verse attest his industry as a writer. For several seasons he lectured. Last year he was an actor in legitimate drama.

## Two Unwelcome Visitors Here.

At this season la grippe and pneumonia cause more deaths than consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures la grippe coughs that may result in pneumonia over night. Do not take chances with a cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will quickly cure it. Arlington Pharmacy.

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20 lbs. best granulated sugar	\$1.00	Best coal oil, per gal.	10c
10 lbs. best lard	\$1.00	Best northern potatoes—by the sack	70c
White Ribbon or A No. 1 Otterville flour, per cwt.	\$2.35	Ground corn, 500-lb lots, per cwt.	\$1.05
Good hard wheat flour, per cwt.	\$2.25	Bran, 500-lb lots, per cwt.	\$1.10
Very best hard wheat flour, per cwt.	\$2.75	Shipstuffs, 500-lb lots, per cwt.	\$1.20
4 cags corn	.25c	Corn, per bu.	.55c
1/2 bushel fresh ground meal	.30c	Prairie hay, per bale	.40c
Fresh hams, per lb.	.9c	Timothy hay, per bale	.50c
Fresh salt meat, per lb.	.9c	Straw, per bale	.25c
6 lbs best navy beans	.25c	Fawed wood, per cord	\$5.50
4 cags corn	.25c	Cord wood, per cord	\$4.75
Tomatoes, per can	.10c	We have on hand Arkansas Lump and Best peas, per can	.10c
Searchlight matches, per box	.30c	Nut, Kansas Lump and Nut and Illinois Lump and Nut coal and all grades of hard and soft coal. Prices might.	
7 bars Diamond C soap	.25c		
3 lbs. prunes	.25c		

GOOD LUMP COAL, PER TON \$3.50.

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## Classified Ads

### FOR RENT

For Rent—Six room cottage, 420 West Sixth street. Inquire 422 West Sixth street.

For Rent—Furnished room, steam heat; modern. 330 West Third St. Phone 1056.

For Rent—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 512 West Fifth street.

For Rent—Modern cottage, 611 W. Third street; seven rooms; bath and furnace.—W. H. VanWagner.

For Rent—From December 1, 1907, room occupied by Landmann Bros. Abstract Co. See Sedalia Trust company.

For Rent—Nice office room, rear Sedalia Trust company; entrance on Fourth street. See Sedalia Trust company.

For Rent—Large front room with steam heat, gas and bath; board if desired. Mrs. D. T. Harshbarger, 219 West Seventh street.

For Rent—Small cottage, corner Seventh and Quincy; water in house; \$10 per month.—W. H. Van Wagner, 107 West Third street.

For Rent—A meat market stand, good location; business connection with Holdner's grocery store on Pettis and Lamine streets; also two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences. Inquire 133 East Jefferson street.

### SALE OF RARE WORKS

Relate to Napoleon Bonaparte and French Revolution.

New York, Jan. 13.—A number of exceedingly rare works relating to Napoleon Bonaparte and the French revolution are included in the library of H. F. Vories, of New Orleans, which was placed on sale at auction here today. The sale will probably occupy three days, as the collection is a large and important one, and has attracted the attention of collectors of rare books in all parts of the country.

One of the extreme rarities in the Vories library is the official account of the trial of the conspirators against Napoleon. Another is the "Confessions of J. B. Couteau," published in

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### LOST

Lost—Ladies' plain gold watch, monogram "M. S." Also black leather fob with letter "S" engraved on it. Return to this office for reward.

### FOR SALE

For Sale or Rent—New eight-room house, 1102 West Third street; modern. Apply D. L. Gross, 1100 West Third street.

London in 1734, and containing rare portraits of Robespierre Marat and other leaders of the revolution.

Another rare work is the "Adventures of Robert Guillemaud," who is said to have fired the shot that killed Nelson. There are also several volumes devoted to the famous diamond necklace scandal, which was used by the enemies of Marie Antoinette to belittle her, and a first edition of a manuscript alleged to have been written by Napoleon at St. Helena.

### MANY BIRDS ARE SHOWN

The Northwest Poultry Show at North Takima, Wash.

North Takima, Wash., Jan. 13.—The third annual exhibition of the Takima Poultry association, the principal organization of its kind in the Pacific Northwest, opened here today and will continue through the entire week.

Fanciers of Washington, Oregon, California, Idaho and British Columbia are represented among the entries. The judge is W. C. Denny, the well known poultry authority at Rochester, N. Y., who acted as judge of the poultry exhibits at the Pan-American exposition.

When ordering flour say "Pride of Perry," and speak plainly so there can be no mistake.

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## WOULD WED OWN SISTER

COUPLE LEARN OF RELATIONSHIP ON THE EVE OF WEDDING.

### ARE NOW SEARCHING FOR MOTHER

Man is a Miner and the Woman Was Book Agent—She Sold Him One of Her Works, and a Case of Love Soon Developed.

Englewood, S. D., Jan. 13.—Albert Jackson and Miss Minsie Burton discovered just the day before the day set for their marriage that they were brother and sister, and have gone to Northern Minnesota to make search for their mother, whom they have not seen since they were little children. Jackson is a miner, and has been the Black Hills for several years. Miss Burton came to the Hills six or seven months ago as a book agent.

The young woman sold the young miner some books. Jackson fell in love with her, contrived to see her frequently, and a few weeks ago asked her to marry him. She consented, and they set a day for the nuptials.

It came to light the day before the marriage was to be celebrated that the young woman's real name was not Burton, but Worthington, and the real name of her lover was not Jackson, but Worthington. Each had been adopted when a child.

### LAMONTE "RECORD" ITEMS

Three Paragraphs Clipped From Har- Age's Paper.

O. P. Harris has received a telegram announcing the death of his aunt, Mrs. Adeline Hardey, at her home at Syracuse, Mo., today. She was also an aunt of G. H. Hardey, of this city. The funeral will be held at Syracuse Sunday.

P. W. Sexton, secretary of the Lamonte Telephone company, has purchased twenty-eight shares of stock in that company from Keller & Wiener, and has assumed the management of the exchange and lines radiating from this city to the rural districts, as well as the city business of that company.

N. E. Dickman, a real estate dealer of Green Ridge, has closed a deal with J. M. Davis, a realty man of Florida, by which 950 acres of Pettis county land, the larger portion of which is known as the John T. Heard farm, near Green Ridge, has been exchanged for 19,000 acres of land in Southern Florida, located near Tampa. Mr. Dickman, who has been living on the property exchanged, will hold a public sale of live stock and farming machinery, four miles south of Green Ridge, Friday January 17.

### "HELLO GIRLS" TO COMPETE

At National Educational Show to Be Held in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—Pretty "hello" girls employed in the telephone exchanges of Chicago and other cities will engage in a spirited competition for championship honors during the third annual National Electrical show which opened today in the Coliseum and will last until January 25.

Quickness and accuracy in answering calls and general efficiency will be considered in awarding the prizes. The demonstration is expected to have an educational value in showing the impatient telephone-using public the value of patience in dealing with the long-suffering telephone girl.

Nearly 100 concerns, manufacturing electrical apparatus, with an aggregate capital of over \$300,000,000, have made magnificent displays at the present show. The exhibition is expected to surpass in interest and attendance any of its kind ever before held anywhere.

The installation of the incandescent globes required for the illumination of the Coliseum alone cost \$25,000. Among other exhibits the famous single rail gyroscopic train perfected by Louis Brennan in England is shown in miniature.

### Money—Money—Money

If you wish to borrow money on real estate or if you wish to loan money on real estate, in either case be sure and see me before doing business.—G. M. Riddle, the real estate and loan man, 210 Ohio street, over Guenther's store, Sedalia, Mo.

### A Swap of Ball Players.

Manager Dud Risley, of the Springfield team of the Western association, has accepted the trade of First Baseman Tom Reed for Pitcher George and Catcher Tony Vanderhill, of the Joplin team.

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10 lbs. "Stevenson's" lard for.....\$1.00  
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6 bars Echo or X-Ray soap for.....25c  
1 quart roasted peanuts for.....5c  
1 lb. fresh country butter for.....25c  
1 lb. English walnuts for.....15c  
1 bu. fine large northern potatoes for.....80c  
1 quart extra nice sweet mixed pickles for.....20c  
1 gallon sour pickles for.....25c  
Sugar cured bacon, extra mild, lb. 15c  
Boneless sugar cured hams, per lb.....12½c  
Large German dill pickles, 4 for.....5c  
Our Cuban coffee can't be beat, per lb.....20c  
These are a few of our cash bargains. Come and see us; we will save you money.

### MINISTERS WILL LABOR

Preachers to Assist in Building Sunday Tabernacle.

Decatur, Ill., Jan. 13.—The members of the Ministerial association of Decatur voted to don overalls and working clothes Tuesday and contribute a day's work to the erection of the Billy Sunday tabernacle. Every Protestant minister in the city will work and the church women will serve them a dinner at noon. It is expected that the building will be completed Saturday night.

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## Time Table

**MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY**  
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No. Arr.	Going East.	Depart
12	12:15...St. L. Exp.	12:20 a.m.
12	2:10 a.m. St. L. Lim.	2:15 a.m.
10	2:35 a.m. St. L. Lim.	2:40 a.m.
22	10:30 a.m. Local Pass.	10:40 a.m.
2	1:00 p.m. St. L. Sp'el.	1:05 p.m.
8	4:25 p.m. Mail & Exp.	4:30 p.m.
38	9:10 p.m. K. C. Accom.	

Eastbound local freight departs from yards at 7:15 a. m.

No. Arr.	Going West.	Depart
2	1:45...Joplin Lim.	1:50 a.m.
3	4:00 a.m. Colo. Exp.	4:05 a.m.
11	4:45 a.m. K C St J Lim	4:50 a.m.
27	.....Local Pass.	7:15 p.m.
21	2:40 p.m. Local Pass.	2:50 p.m.
1	2:30 p.m. Col & St. J. Spe.	2:35 p.m.

Westbound local freight departs from station at 7:50 a. m.

**LEXINGTON BRANCH.**  
No. 622, Passenger, arr. .... 10:30 a.m.  
No. 624, Passenger, arr. .... 9:45 a.m.  
No. 623, Passenger, dep. .... 5:15 a.m.  
No. 621, Passenger, dep. .... 3:10 p.m.  
No. 631, Local Fret, dep. .... 8:45 a.m.  
No. 636, Local Fret, arr. .... 2:30 p.m.

**WARSAW BRANCH.**  
No. 643 departs. .... 7:15 a.m.  
No. 644 arrives. .... 2:25 p.m.

**MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS.**  
No. Arr. Going South. Depart  
1 6:25 p.m. Local Pass. 6:50 p.m.  
2 8:50 a.m. Local Pass. 9:10 a.m.  
5 3:17 a.m. Flyer 3:22 a.m.  
511 ..... Local Freight 7:10 a.m.

No. Arr.	North and East	Depart
6	12:35 a.m. Flyer	12:40 a.m.
504	..... Da. Except Sun.	6:15 p.m.
2	8:25 a.m. Local Pass.	8:50 p.m.
4	3:05 p.m. Local Pass.	8:30 p.m.

**KANSAS CITY DIVISION.**  
No. Arr. Depart  
515 ..... Da. Except Sun. 8:35 a.m.  
451 ..... Da. Except Sun. 2:00 p.m.

Going East.  
No. 616 arrives. .... 3:55 p.m.  
No. 452 arrives. .... 5:00 a.m.

**35 Trains**  
In and Out  
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24 Hours

## A MEETING OF "MILITIA"

TENTH ANNUAL CONVENTION OF NATIONAL GUARD ASSOCIATION.

### MAKE CHANGES IN THE DICK LAW

Gov. Guild to Give a Dinner to the Delegates This Evening—Present Meeting Is One of Un-usual Importance.

Boston, Jan. 13.—Militia officers from nearly every state and territory of the Union were present when the tenth annual convention of the National Guard association of the United States was called to order in Faneuil hall at 10 o'clock this morning. The meeting will undoubtedly be the most important in the history of the body, owing to the action to be taken in regard to the Dick militia law.

The opening session was devoted to receiving and acting on credentials, reading of minutes of previous meeting and reports of officers. This afternoon the executive committee and the twelve special committees held sessions in the Young hotel, where headquarters have been established by the delegates. This evening Governor Curtis Guild, jr., will give a dinner to the delegates, and tomorrow evening the National Guard Association of Massachusetts will entertain the delegates in the state armory in Cambridge.

One of the most important matters to be acted upon by the convention is the ratification of the proposed amendments and changes in the Dick militia law, which were reached as the result of conferences between the officers of the National Guard association and Gen. Oliver, acting for the secretary of war; Gen. Bell, the chief, and other officers of the general staff and Senator Dick, the author of the law. The Dick law is made effective January 21, but not all of the state organizations are ready to conform to its requirements.

Under the terms of the Dick militia act, the national guard organizations of the different states and territories must conform to that of the regular and volunteer armies of the United States. Failure to meet this requirement will result in debarment of the annual appropriation of \$2,000,000 for the support of the militia.

The act imposes the condition that the number of regularly enlisted, organized and uniformed active militia shall be at least 100 men for each senator and representative of the state.

The new law, it is admitted by the delegates, is at present complied with by the militia organizations of few states, and January 21 will find them wholly unable to meet its demands.

Another important subject is the proposition to remove the present restriction upon the employment of national militia to nine months. It is admitted that conditions of modern warfare make this period entirely too short, since it would be hardly practicable to do more than organize and transport soldiers to and from the Philippines in that time.

Among other proposed modifications in the militia regulations is one allowing each organized division of the militia one inspector of small arms practice, with the rank of lieutenant colonel; each brigade, one with the rank of major; each regiment of infantry, one with the rank of captain, and each separate battalion one with the rank of first lieutenant.

Other important changes suggested relate to the calling out of the militia to repel invasion or repress insurrection, the conduct of court martials and the issuing of arms to the militia. The association will urge that the national government issue such arms as are needed by the state militia without charging the cost against the allotment of the state or requiring payment therefor.

### How to Avoid Appendicitis.

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels, and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Arlington Pharmacy.

Coal, Coal, Coal—good Illinois Lump and Nut, Kansas deep shaft nut; a good furnace and fair range coal at \$2.50.—Friston Coal Co. Both phones 157.

### Died of Her Burns.

Mrs. Nancy Welch, aged 75 years, died Sunday evening from injuries sustained by being burned recently

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Ill Wanderer Points on Map to Bentonville, Ark.

### A "GRANDMA" WON BOY'S LOVE

Mother of a Lad of Seventeen Had to Interfere.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 13.—Mrs. Mary Kaufman appealed to the police yesterday to break up a love affair she said existed between her son, Joseph, and a woman who lives nearby. Joseph, the mother said, is only 17 years of age. The woman, she averred, is a grandmother.

"My son is constantly at her house," Mrs. Kaufman told Prosecutor Fenninger. "I am a widow and depend on Joseph for support. My boy worked steady until he met her. She has money and keeps my boy supplied with fine clothes."

Prosecutor Fenninger has notified the woman to cease her ardent affections toward Joseph, under penalty of arrest.

### SALMON BANK DIVIDEND

First One Since Failure, Only 6 Per Cent, Payable January 20.

Clinton, Mo., Jan. 13.—Referee Critchfield has ordered a dividend of 6 per cent paid to depositors in the defunct Salmon & Salmoa bank on January 20. There are 1,500 claims, aggregating \$700,000.

The referee hopes to conclude pending legislation and close up the estate by June 1. The bank failed in 1905 and this is the first dividend.

You'll be healthy and happy if your liver and bowels work naturally. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea keeps these organs working right, brings ro tea or tablets.—W. E. Bard Drug Co. bust health to all. Try it now. 35c.

### "Con" Found a Dead Man.

A "dead man" was found by police Officer McHugh at the southwest corner of the market house square last night. The officer prepared to notify the coroner and have the remains removed by an undertaking company, when it was discovered that the "dead man" was a stuffed dummy, placed there by members of the city fire department.

## BABY'S VOICE

Is the joy of the household, for without it no happiness can be complete. How sweet the picture of mother and babe! Angels smile at and commend the thoughts and aspirations of the mother bending over the cradle. The ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so full of danger and suffering that she looks forward to the hour when she shall feel the exquisite thrill of motherhood with indescribable dread and fear. Every woman should know that the danger, pain and horror of childbirth can be entirely avoided by the use of Mother's Friend, a scientific liniment for external use only, which toughens and renders pliable all the parts, and assists nature in its sublime work. By its aid thousands of women have passed this great crisis in perfect safety and without pain.

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Street Commissioner Henry Kruse and his force of men are at work today cleaning the crossings on Ohio street and shoveling the snow and ice from the sidewalks in front of the city buildings.

## The Man With Dandruff.

Can now be cured. He should buy a bottle of Zemo today. Zemo destroys the germ that causes the disease. Its use stops itching instantly, prevents falling hair and leaves the scalp in a clean healthy condition. For sale by Dan Wilcox.

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## RUMBLINGS OF THE RAIL

UNION PACIFIC RAILWAY MAY BE INJURED BY PROHIBITION'S ADOPTION.

## COACH, CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

"The Union Pacific has purchased for the year 178 track miles of 90-pound rails for additional second track," said A. L. Mohler, vice president and general manager of the Union Pacific at Laramie, Wyo., Saturday.

But Mr. Mohler deprecated the wave of prohibition as a possible means of reducing traffic, the recent reform legislation and the determination in various quarters to enforce the new tax system upon railroads—all these as elements that might deter the progress of railroad development in the next year.

He admitted, however, millions should be employed in the work of extending railroads, but asked where the money was to be obtained under such conditions.

"With the prohibition wave gradually spreading and with the probable tariff reduction it would seem ultimately that the government will desire to tax interstate business, which represents on the Union Pacific 85 per cent of its business," Mr. Mohler continued. "Therefore, there would be only 15 per cent of its gross earnings left to the states through which it operates."

## Will Contest 2-Cent Fare.

Contrary to the opinion expressed in an address in St. Louis last Friday night by Attorney General Hadley before the St. Louis railway club, that he was satisfied the railroad would not be able to show a loss of passenger revenue because of the 2-cent rate established by the law in Missouri, General Solicitor W. H. Blodgett, of the Wabash Railroad company, declared Saturday that the roads have not abandoned their expressed intention of contesting the reduced fare law.

"The railroads are making a careful investigation to determine the results of the 2-cent fare law," said Mr. Blodgett. "When our figures have been compiled we shall decide when the question of contested law shall be presented to the courts."

## A Missouri Pacific Wreck.

The tracks of the Missouri Pacific railroad were blocked in Martin City, Mo., seven hours last night because the rear truck of the engine of train No. 4, due in Kansas City at 5:50 o'clock, left the tracks, says this morning's Kansas City Times.

Two other passenger trains, No. 1, which leaves there at 6:30 o'clock, were also delayed. Martin City is about twenty miles from Kansas City.

## Appointed General Foreman.

William S. Kenyon, recently master mechanic for the D. & R. G. railway at Alamosa, Col., has been appointed general foreman of the Missouri Pacific shops in this city, succeeding John Butler, resigned to go to Atchison, Kan., as master mechanic, and arrived here Sunday.

Mr. Kenyon is at present learning the shops and will enter upon his duties on the 15th inst.

## Burlington to Lay Off Men.

Mr. Holdrege, general manager of the Burlington, says that a large number of the employees of that company, in all departments, will be laid off at once on account of the great falling off in business following the recent financial flurry.

## An Engineer for 28 Years.

James F. Clough, for thirty-five years an employee of the Missouri Pacific railroad, died Saturday at his home in Arkansas City, Kas.

He was 41 years old and for twenty-eight years had been running an engine.

## Superintendent of Machinery.

Vice President Horace W. Clark, of the International and Great Northern, has appointed J. F. Enright, superintendent of machinery.

Mr. Enright has resigned as master mechanic of the Mobile and Ohio.

## Hospital Arrivals.

Following are new arrivals at the Katy hospital:

A. W. Buston, fireman, Mokane, Mo.

C. E. Candler, fireman, Denton, Texas.

R. L. Davidson, machinists' helper, Parsons, Kan.

W. F. Harvey, bridgeman, Denton, Texas.

C. Smith, porter, Parsons, Kan.

C. A. Denton, blacksmith's helper, Parsons, Kan.

## Laid Off to Attend Funeral.

The Missouri Pacific machinists laid off this afternoon to attend the funeral of Richard C. Woods, one of the oldest machinists at the shops, who died last Friday afternoon.

## Automatic Couplers.

Percy Little's condition today is improved.

Charles Wilson, a Katy conductor, has "bumped" Charles Neely.

Eighteen extra brakemen are registered on the Katy's call board.

Dominic Stoffel, Katy claim agent, went to Columbia today on business.

Ira Yarnell and A. Games, Katy brakemen, reported for work today.

J. V. Tapp, a Katy brakeman on the south end, reported for work today.

J. W. Conner, Katy commercial agent, returned this morning from Clinton.

R. M. Garrett, resident engineer for the Katy, is at St. Charles on business.

G. H. Gibson, a Missouri Pacific conductor, is laying off on account of sickness.

J. Bowers, a Missouri Pacific shopman, is laying off on account of bronchitis.

H. O. Moss, a Katy civil engineer, went out on the high line this morning on business.

C. G. Rogers, traveling freight agent for the Katy, returned this morning from Windsor.

W. L. Norris and H. W. Elton, Katy conductors, are at Ada, Okla., attending a company lawsuit.

Superintendent A. J. Alexander, of the Missouri Pacific, went to St. Louis on the noon train today.

Superintendent A. E. Boughner, of the Katy, returned to Mokane today, after visiting his family here.

Thomas Forgham, who is ill with a compound fracture of the leg at the Katy hospital, is getting along nicely.

Edward Jagels and James and W. F. Egan, Katy switchmen, resumed work today, after a few days' lay off.

Superintendent N. J. Finney, of the Katy, left this morning for a business trip on the south end of the road.

A new platform has been installed in front of the Katy yard office and telegraph supply room south of Fifth street.

Commercial Agent W. B. Shirk, of the Missouri Pacific, went to Pleasant Hill this morning on company business.

P. P. Bishop, foreman of the water service for the Katy, returned this morning from spending Sunday at Nevada.

J. L. Sweeney, night telegraph operator for the Katy, in this city, has been laid off, due to a reduction in expenses.

H. W. Newcomb, a Katy conductor, and Brakeman Willard Christian, T. H. Jackson and Harry Smith are laying off.

Missouri Pacific train No. 3, consisting of eight cars, was doubled headed from St. Louis to Kansas City last night.

The Chicago and Alton paid all its employees in gold today. All forms of checks in use for three months past are to be abandoned.

J. T. Westbrook, Missouri Pacific roadmaster, returned this forenoon from a business visit at points on the Lexington branch line.

Salina Myers, matron at the Missouri Pacific station, who has been

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ill with la grippe for several days, is able to be up town this afternoon.

The sudden cold weather Saturday caused a shortage of natural gas at the M., K. & T. shops at Parsons, and at 11 o'clock they shut down until this morning.

Arthur Friemel, who has been working with a railroad civil engineering gang out of Birmingham, Ala., came in from St. Louis Sunday to visit his mother.

Master Mechanic M. J. McGraw, of the Missouri Pacific, went to California at noon today for a brief visit.

An official car of the Colorado Southern railway was taken through here on the noon train today.

S. K. Bullard, superintendent of telegraph for the Katy, who, with his wife, is sojourning at Redlands, Cal., for the benefit of his health, writes Assistant Superintendent Hall that he is not gaining strength as rapidly as expected.

## MORE RIOTING IN BERLIN

Police Charged Crowds and Many Were Injured.

Berlin, Jan. 13.—The determination of the socialists to secure direct universal suffrage, combined with their indignation against Chancellor von Buelow's curt declaration refusing their demand, gave rise yesterday to a great popular demonstration, accompanied by disorders in the streets of the Prussian capital, in which 40,000 organized socialists and 30,000 sympathizers joined in the manifestations. They alternately yelled for suffrage and hissed von Buelow.

The police charged several crowds and in the struggles several persons were injured.

One of the most remarkable features of yesterday's uprising was the number of women there. They appeared even more earnest in their activities than the men.

## TAX DAY IN NEW YORK

Hundreds of Persons With Grievances on Hand.

New York, Jan. 13.—This is "tax day" in New York, marking the opening of the annual books of record of the assessed valuation of real and personal property. Hundreds of persons with grievances as to the assessed valuation of properties appeared to register objections. Those representing corporations were required to appear in the borough of Manhattan and all others in the various borough offices. The books will remain open to March 31.

Bring your gasoline cans to E. G. Mosburg, the carriage painter, and he will paint and letter them for you at a reasonable price and save buying a new can. 112-114 South Kentucky. Phone 335.

Back to Sedalia to Live.

A. P. Johnson, who several months ago disposed of his popcorn and peanut stand at Fourth and Ohio streets

to F. M. Sprague, and with his family moved to Kansas City, has returned here to remain.

## BOOT AND SHOEMAKERS

National Convention Is in Session in New York.

New York, Jan. 13.—Governor Curtis Guild, jr., of Massachusetts, is the principal speaker on the program of the annual convention of the National Association of Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, which opened today in the Astor house.

Governor Cummins, of Iowa, is also expected to deliver an address. The session will continue through tomorrow.

## MYSTERY IN A ST. JOE DEATH

The Body of Night Watchman Found in a Mill.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 13.—The dead body of J. H. Potter, 66 years old, night watchman in the plant of the American hominy mills, was found in the mill early yesterday morning.

A broom lay across the body, although no bruises or marks were found by the coroner, who viewed the body. An inquest will be held.

Potter was supposed to ring in at the telegraph office every hour. His last ring was received at 4 o'clock. The death of Potter recalls the similar deaths of three watchmen in a saddlery house here last spring. Their deaths occurred at intervals of about three weeks.

When in doubt say "Pride of Perry" flour and close the deal; you'll win.

## TO CHOOSE "SUGAR KING"

Horace Havemeyer Will Succeed Deceased Father.

New York, Jan. 13.—Horace Havemeyer, who was temporarily appointed to occupy the directorship left vacant by the death of his father, Henry O. Havemeyer, on the board of the American Sugar Refining company, will probably be permanently elected at the annual meeting of the shareholders in Jersey City tomorrow.

The appointment by the directors of W. E. Thomas, vice president of the company, as acting manager, is also likely to be affirmed. Mr. Thomas has been the Massachusetts director of the company for many years and has had his headquarters in Boston. He also has acted as manager of the Boston sugar refinery.

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